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1 DEAD, 20 HURT IN EXPLOSION

Comb Factory Blown Up, Boy Dies of Excitement and More Than a Score Are Injured —100 Girls in Panic.

A schoolboy died, three men were so badly burned that the lives of two of them are despaired of, twenty other people were slightly injured and nearly one hundred girls were thrown into a panic this afternoon as a result of the destruction of the Ideal Comb Company's factory in the very heart of the wooden tenement house district of North Cambridge.

The comb factory, stored with celluloid novelties in the finished and unfinished form from cellar to garret, is a total loss, estimated at about $30,000. It was a two-story wooden building. At 1:30 o'clock it was a pile of smouldering embers.

THE DEAD.

Rene Villeneuve, twelve years old, son of Deragist John Villeneuve of the corner of Rice street and Massachusetts avenue, North Cambridge, dropped dead of heart disease as the North Cambridge car bars while running to the burning building.

Critically Injured.

Alex Malori, thirty-one years old, of No. 66 Hudson street, Boston, hair burned off, arms and legs injured and back terribly burned. Cambridge Hospital. Condition thought to be hopeless.

Carl Flagg, twenty-one years old, of No. 92 Yorktown street, North Cambridge. Face, hands, neck and back burned. Cambridge Hospital. Condition serious.

Comb maker, name as yet unknown, residing at No. 7 Seven Pines street, in the rear of the factory. Dragged from the burning building already so badly burned as to be scarcely recognizable, and taken home by friends. Attended by Dr. McLean of Somerville.

One Hundred in the Factory.

The one hundred employes were about ready to leave the factory for the noon hour when the entire neighborhood was alarmed by a terrific explosion. In another instant the windows of the big two-story factory had been blown out into Cameron avenue and surrounding lots. Then the flames sprang up, from everywhere at once, and puff, poo, poo, great piles of celluloid began to explode and sputter and burn.

Panic seized the great tenement neighborhood at once. Hurry calls were rung in for fire apparatus, ambulances and physicians. Surgeons came from everywhere, in cars, carriages and automobiles. First aid was given to less than twenty of the girl employes in the immediate neighborhood and friends took them home.

Building a Total Loss.

Building and machinery, the former a total loss, were valued at $17,000. There was a first report in the neighborhood that $17,000 worth of finished goods was already in packing cases, ready to be shipped to-morrow.

Young Flagg, among the three most badly injured, is the son of Fred S. Flagg, one of the proprietors of the comb factory. The other owners is said to be Allen W. Carter of 84 Yorktown street. Both proprietors were among those reported to have been more or less seriously scorched by the flames. Flagg's younger son, Archie, was also on the list of injured.

Besides those already enumerated, Nicholas Dana of 61 Harvard street, Boston, had his face and arms burned, and Rhlon Hale of No. 85 this street, Boston, was similarly burned. Gaze and Hale were rushed to the Somerville Hospital.

JOHN C. DALY FOUND DEAD IN BED TO-DAY

John C. Daly, one of the best known citizens of Boston, was found dead in bed at his home, No. 47 Townsend street, Roxbury, early to-day by members of his family. He went to bed in good health and spirits last night. The physician who was called to his bedside said that heart disease had ended his life. This diagnosis was confirmed by Medical Examiner Macdonald.

Mr. Daly was born in County Kerry, Ireland, sixty-seven years ago, and was twenty-two when he arrived in Boston. He was engaged for a while in the provision and grocery business in the old Cove district, and then opened a liquor store and continued to be interested in this trade for many years. He made a fortune at his old stand on School street. It was next door to the Parker House and opposite City Hall. This brought many politicians to his place of business, and he had an acquaintance with several generations of them, besides thousands of other men.

One of his daughters is Mrs. John R. Murphy, wife of a prominent lawyer, who is a former fire and water commissioner, a brother-in-law of John Boyle O'Reilly and was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Mayor of Boston when General Patrick A. Collins won over him, the greatest caucus battle the city has ever known. Another daughter is Miss Margaret Daly. His two sons are Leo J. Daly and John C. Daly, Jr. A nephew is Charley Daly, famous as a football captain at Harvard, a West Point graduate and subsequently an army officer.

IRISH ENVOYS' THANKS TO HUB

Declaring their delight and gratitude with their Boston reception, John E. Redmond and Joseph Devlin, members of the Irish parliamentary party who came to this country to attend the convention of the United Irish League, left to-day for New York on the 1 o'clock train. John Fitzgibbon will go to Fall River to-night and will join his friends in New York Sunday. Just before he stepped on the train Mr. Redmond said: "I am delighted. Our convention was a success. We feel the greatest gratitude to the people of Boston for their great hospitality shown to us."

Joseph Devlin, M. P., said: "I really did not think that Boston, or any other American city, could be so warm hearted. I leave Boston with the most pleasant remembrances."

If You Don't Want It

Why not exchange it. Put an ad in the Barter and Exchange Column of the American. Somebody will have what you want and will take what you don't want for it. People are buying and swapping every day in the American B-r-ter and Exchange Column. Rates are one cent a word.

PIRATES THINK DOVES WILL BE EASY VICTIMS

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	PITTSBURG.
Becker, r.f.	Thomas, c.f.
Bates, l.f.	Clark, l.f.
Browne, c.f.	Leach, 3b.
Stein, 1b.	Wagner, s.s.
Sweeney, 3b.	Abbattiello, 2b.
Smith, c.	Storke, 1b.
Hannifan, 2b.	Shannon, r.f.
Dahlen, s.s.	Gibson, c.
Ferguson, p.	Maddox, p.

Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—1,200.

SOUTH END BASEBALL GROUNDS, Sept. 25.—The Pittsburg Pirates, still fighting hard for the National League pennant, lined up against the Doves in a double-header this afternoon.

"Are we in it? Well, I should say we were," declared Manager Fred Clarke to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter in the dressing room under the grand stand. "Just cast your eye over our remaining schedule. We have ten games to play—three with Boston, one with Chicago and six with the Cubs, at home.

"We ought to clean up here in Boston the way we are going, and we certainly ought to win five out of six from a club like St. Louis. When it comes down to that single game with the Cubs, you will find us there. We have an easier schedule than either the Giants or Cubs.

"The papers here have been filled with a comparison of the Giants and Cubs, but you will notice that in the percentage column we are tied with Chicago and are only a game behind New York. Oh, I guess we will be right there at the finish.

"The weather was threatening and only a small crowd was out to see the fun.

THE GAME.

FIRST INNING.

Thomas walked. Clarke sacrificed. Sweeney to Sim. Leach flied to Bates. Wagner beat out a slow hi to Dahlen and Thomas took third. Wagner stole and Thomas was caught off third on the interrupted throw. Smith to Ferguson to Sweeney. NO RUNS.

Becker popped to Leach. Bibson tore Bates's high foul. Browne walked, but was out stealing, Gibson to Wagner. NO RUNS.

SECOND INNING.

Abby beat out a slow hit to Dahlen. Storke grounded out to Stein. Shannon hit to Dahlen and Abby was run down between second and third and put out by Dahlen. Gibson flied to Dahlen. NO RUNS.

Stein got a single on a hot drive at Leach. Gibson got Sweeney's difficult foul on which Stein took second. Smith flied to Clarke. Hannifan's grounded went through Leach. Stein scored. Dahlen flied to Clarke. ONE RUN.

THIRD INNING.

Maddox fooled to Sweeney. Thomas walked for the second time. He was out stealing, Smith to Dahlen. Clarke walked and stole. Leach fooled to Sweeney. NO RUNS.

Ferguson bunted out. Maddox to Storke. Abby tossed out Becker. Bates was hit by pitched ball. Browne out, Abby to Storke. NO RUNS.

FOURTH INNING.

Sweeney fumbled Wagner's hot one, but by a quick recovery got the flying Dutchman at first. Stein making a fine catch at full reach. The ball accidentally hit Abby's bat and popped to Stein, Storke singled past Dahlen. Dahlen made a star one hand catch of Shannon's drive. NO RUNS.

Wagner threw Stein out, Storke taking the ball with his bare hand at full stretch. Leach did a fast stunt on Sweeney's bunt, picking the ball up with one hand and tossing to Storke. Smith flied to Clarke. NO RUNS.

FIFTH INNING.

Hannifan fooled out Gibson. Maddox was out same way. Thomas singled to left. Clarke flied to Bates. NO RUNS.

Hannifan walked. Dahlen hit into a double play, Leach to Abby to Storke. Ferguson flied to Shannon. NO RUNS.

SIXTH—Sweeney tossed out Leach. Wagner safe on Hannifan's fumble. The Dutchman stole second. Abby popped to Stein. Storke flied to Browne. NO RUNS. Becker flied to Clarke. Bates hit over the right field fence for a home run. Browne singled to left and stole second base. Wagner tossed out Stein and Browne reached third safely. Sweeney flied to Gibson. ONE RUN.

SEVENTH—Shannon walked, and stole second base. Dahlen tossed out Gibson and Shannon took third base. Maddox hit to Ferguson and Shannon was run out trying to score. Sweeney to Smith. Thomas popped to Dahlen. NO RUNS. Thomas made a good catch off Smith. Hannifan flied to Becker. Dahlen flied to Clarke. NO RUNS.

EIGHTH—Hannifan tossed out Clarke. Leach singled safely on Dahlen's fumble. Wagner singled. Abby flied, scoring Leach. Storke flied to Bates. ONE RUN.

Ferguson singled. Becker fanned. Bates fanned Ferguson. Browne safe. Stein popped to Storke. NO RUNS.

NINTH—Shannon died. Dahlen fanned. Phelps, for Maddox, safe. Stein, for Gibson, out. Thomas forced Phelps. Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
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ARCHBISHOP FARLEY SAILS FOR AMERICA.

ROME, Sept. 25.—Archbishop Farley of New York left this city yesterday for Naples, whence he sailed to-day for the United States on the steamer Princess Irene.

CINCINNATI LEADS GIANTS.

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New York 0 0 0 0 0

RESULTS OF RACES AT GRAVESEND.

1st—Football. Wise Manon. Fashion Plate.

25 REPORTED KILLED IN MONTANA CRASH

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 25.—A special from Livingston, Mont., says that passenger train No. 16 on the Northern Pacific, eastbound, which left Helena at midnight last night, collided with a freight at Young's Point and that 25 persons, including the engineer, fireman and brakeman, were killed.

4 ARRESTS IN BROWN CRASH

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—A. O. Brown, the District Attorney, Lewis Ginter Young, W. Rhea Whitman and Edward F. Buchanan, the four members of the failed brokerage firm of A. O. Brown & Co., were arrested this afternoon as they were leaving the postoffice building as a result of charges of alleged fraudulent transactions growing out of their failure on August 22.

These charges are now in the hands of

RED SOX AND BROWNS MEET IN SECOND GAME

BATTING ORDER.

ST. LOUIS.	BOSTON.
Stone, l.f.	McConnell, 2b.
T. Jones, 1b.	Lord, 3b.
Hoffman, c.f.	Speaker, c.f.
Schweitzer, r.f.	Gessler, r.f.
Ferris, 3b.	Criswell, l.f.
Williams, 2b.	Wagner, s.s.
Wallace, s.s.	Stahl, 1b.
Spencer, c.	Bambino, c.
Powell, p.	Steele, p.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GROUNDS, St. Louis, Sept. 28.—The Browns believe they have shaken their hoodoo as they took the first game of a series from the Red Sox on home grounds this season. To-day the same two meet again in the second game of the series.

Manager Lake had three pitchers in Buavenger and surrounding lots. Then the chell, Steele and Arellanes—all ready to work, and he believed any one of them could deliver the goods. The Red Sox have nothing against the Browns, but they want to prove that a tohn of cast-offs cannot beat a team of fast, hustling youngsters.

The St. Louis fans still believe the Browns have a chance to win the American League pennant and they are supporting the club loyally. It has been a great year for the owners of the Browns and they have made enough money to pay for the losses of several years ago and have a handsome surplus in the treasury.

ATTEMPT TO FLOAT CRUISER YANKEE

NEWPORT, Sept. 25.—To-day an effort is being made to float the United States steamship Yankee from Spindle Rocks, where she struck Wednesday evening in the fog. The work is under the direction of the naval authorities.

GIRL DEFENDS MOTHER HELD IN DEATH CASE

"CHILDS ATTACKED MY DAUGHTER," CRIES MRS. SILSBY IN COURTROOM.

Mrs. Rose A. Silsby of Beaver street, Waltham, wife of Elbon M. Silsby, is awaiting her hearing in the Waltham District Court on a charge of murder for the killing of Clinton E. Childs of Boston. With her in her cell sits her sixteen-year-old daughter, Frances, in defence of whose honor Mrs. Silsby says she shot Childs.

When Mrs. Silsby was arrested in her home at Chestatis Brook early to-day shortly after Childs had expired at the City Hospital, Boston, she at first stoutly denied killing the man. Her daughter broke in crying:

"Tell all you know, mother; you might as well tell the truth."

Then the police say, Mrs. Silsby admitted firing two shots at Childs, declaring that he was trying to break into her daughter's room early Thursday morning.

Begs to Be Locked Up.

After the mother was locked in her cell to-day following the postponement of the hearing, Frances walked to the cell beside the shooting of Childs took place in Silsby house, Waltham, about 3 o'clock Thursday morning. Childs came back unaccompanied, to his lodging house, where he lived with his son. When taken to the City Hospital, where he died at 3:45 a. m., he refused to say how he came to be shot, other than that a woman had inflicted the wounds.

Mrs. Silsby's Story.

Mrs. Silsby's story is:

"I have known Clinton E. Childs for eight years. He frequently came to our house.

"Last Wednesday evening Mr. Childs and I went to Boston, taking Frances with us. In Boston we bought her a ticket to the Bowdoin Square Theatre. Then Childs and I went somewhere till the play should let out.

"We met Frances after the play, went to Park street subway and took a car for Waverly. We walked from the end of the car line to our house, arriving there at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. At the house Childs drank some. Frances started upstairs to bed.

"At 2:30 o'clock Childs started to go to Frances's room. I warned him not to. He persisted, and started to open her door. Frances held the door from the inside and would not let him enter. He kept on trying to get in. For the second time I warned him not to try to go in there.

"Still he kept trying. I went to a bureau drawer and got a revolver, a 38-calibre Colts, and showed him the weapon, speaking to him again that he must go away from Frances's door.

Shot to Save Daughter.

"He began to force the door in. I shot at him twice. One of the bullets hit him, the first one, I think.

"He staggered to a chair. I do not recall what happened after that."

The police declare that Frances fully corroborated her mother's story about the shooting. The daughter's story, as given by the police, runs as follows:

"I had gone upstairs. I heard mother telling Childs not to go into my room. Then I felt someone try the door. I pushed to the door and held it from the inside. Then I knew the shooting. I opened the door. Childs was in a chair. I saw mother rush downstairs and out of the house. I followed her. She ran toward the railroad crossing, brandishing the revolver and screaming, 'I'll kill everybody!'

"I was not afraid of mamma. I went to her and persuaded her to return to the house. When we got back there Childs was gone."

That is all the police have so far from the daughter, according to their story.

Clinton E. Silsby, wife of Elbon M. Silsby, employed by the Boston & Maine railroad, faced Judge Enos T. Loce in the Waltham District Court to-day charged with murder for the shooting of Childs. The case was continued until to-morrow morning, the woman not answering the charge.

Courtroom Crowded.

When Mrs. Silsby was brought into the Waltham District Court to-day the room was jammed with interested spectators. She was plainly clad and seemed to be cool and collected.

The charge was read by the clerk and Chief of Police McKenna of the Waltham police force asked for a continuance. He said he had been requested to do so by the husband of the accused woman. Judge Loce at once granted the request, and Mrs. Silsby was held without bail.

Childs' friends and police officers state that the shooting was the result of an accident. The arrest was made as the result of an investigation made by Chief John Ryan and Policeman John Arty of Belmont. Arty is one of the leading witnesses for the government, to-day.

Childs, who lived with his son at the lodging house of Mrs. Randall in Massachusetts avenue, was employed as cashier for Moses Yaffer & Co., who conduct three pool rooms in Boston and have their headquarters at No. 578 Washington street.

The circumstances of the shooting were at first shrouded in the most profound secrecy. When Childs was found in his bed yesterday morning by his son he was tossing in the greatest pain and bleeding from bullet wounds in his right arm and chest.

Removed to the City Hospital he said: "I will tell nothing about this. I will carry my secret to my grave with me."

BLAST ON RAM'S HORN USHERS IN ROSH HASHONAH

Beginning of Jewish New Year Marks the First of Important Festivals.

HOLD SERVICES TO-NIGHT

With the setting of the sun this evening, more than 75,000 Jews assemble in the synagogues and temples in Greater Boston to welcome and usher in a new year in the Jewish era, 5669. With the New Year services, which are known in the Jewish ritual as Rosh Hashonah, begin the most important group of festivals in the whole year.

The penitential season begins to-night, continuing until October 5, the Day of Atonement, the most sacred holiday in the whole Jewish ritual. By the long series of festivals and ceremonials, which continue until the Day of Atonement, is symbolized regeneration of religious life among the faithful.

The more primitive features of the Rosh Hashonah ritual are maintained in the orthodox synagogues, where the services observing the New Year will continue for two days, concluding Sunday at sundown. The reformed or progressive congregations, however, will be content with services to-night at 7:30 o'clock and to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Blowing the Schofar.

One of the most impressive features of the Rosh Hashonah observance is the blowing of the schofar, or ram's horn, which announces the arrival of the new year. The horn will be blown three times in each synagogue by one of the congregation—after the reading of the Scripture, at the additional services and finally at the conclusion.

New Year's services will be held for the second time at the beautiful new Temple Israel, Commonwealth avenue, and will mark Rabbi Charles Fleischer's fourth consecutive year in the service of the congregation. "Charity and Philanthropy" is the subject of Rabbi Fleischer's address and there will be special musical services under the direction of Organist S. H. Wheipley.

At Temple Ohabei Shalom.

Rabbi M. M. Eichler will conduct the Rosh Hashonah services at Temple Ohabei Shalom, Upton Park street, to-night. The subject of his address is "A New Year's Greeting." The choir will be enlarged for the services.

A choir of 150 boys will chant and assist the cantor in services in the Baldwin place synagogue, the largest orthodox congregation in Boston. The Jews who are being detained at the United States immigration office on Long wharf will observe the festival, the services being conducted by a rabbi.

CHAMPION HAYES INVITES BOYS TO RUN WITH HIM

Practice Sprint, with Marathon Winner Leading, Starts To-morrow at B. A. A. Club.

All the boys in Boston are invited to join John J. Hayes, winner of the Olympic Marathon, in a practice run to-morrow morning, and get the benefit of his advice. Hayes is appearing this week at Keith's Theatre.

The run starts at 11 o'clock from in front of the B. A. A. clubhouse in Exeter street, near Boylston. It is under the auspices of the BOSTON AMERICAN. Bring your running suits and come early.

Everything is in readiness for the John J. Hayes Marathon School, to be held under the auspices of the BOSTON AMERICAN and by permission of B. F. Keith to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock at the B. A. A. clubhouse in Exeter street.

The run will start with Hayes in the lead from Exeter street and proceed over a course to be marked out by the Marathon winner.

"Don't Use Tobacco."

The party will rest long enough to witness Hayes in his demonstration of how to run. Then a fresh start will be made and the runners will proceed at a lively jog back to Exeter street.

In the article below Hayes has something of value to say about boys who smoke cigarettes or use tobacco in any form. He advises very strongly against the use of tobacco by anyone.

Winner of the Olympic Marathon Race.

Cigarette fiends are specially invited to join me in the first run of my Marathon school to-morrow (Saturday) at the B. A. A. on Exeter street. I want all cigarette fiends in Greater Boston to try with me. I will undertake to cure them of the habit in one short talk. If that talk doesn't effect a cure it will be the fault of the pupil. I want say to the mothers of Boston that the most effective way of breaking a boy of the smoking habit is to buy him a running suit.

Never in my life have I used tobacco in any form and I never intend to acquire the habit. To the absence of nicotine from my lungs more than to any other agency I attribute my ability to negotiate long distances and win Marathon races.

Will Show Harm of Cigarettes.

Let every boy who uses cigarettes bring his running suit out to Exeter street Saturday morning and I will show him what harm he is accomplishing by continuing the habit. I have cured many boys of the cigarette habit in that way, and intend to keep up the good work.

There is one great rule that applies to all athletes—namely, avoid pastry and intoxicants. Aside from that, it is well for a man to eat any food that he craves and that agrees with him.

We have very assurance that a record-breaking crowd will turn out to-morrow morning (Saturday) to take part in the BOSTON AMERICAN Marathon school. Every boy should bring his running costume and shoes with him. We ought to have a splendid time. I look forward to my meeting with the schoolboy athletes with great pleasure.

REMEMBER, BOYS!

The Marathonette, under the direction of John J. Hayes, winner of the Marathon race in the Olympic games at London, will start at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday) morning, from in front of the B. A. A. in Exeter street.

Be on hand with your running clothes.

Study the Marathon "stride" of Champion Hayes in his exhibition at Keith's Theatre.

The Marathon lesson is open to all the schoolboys of Greater Boston.

ASK LAURIER'S AID IN STRIKE

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 25.—The trades and labor congress in session here sent a telegram to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Berlin, Ont., asking him to intervene in an effort to settle the strike on the Canadian Pacific. The congress cites the action of Roosevelt in the Pennsylvania railroad strike.

Laurier in his reply stated that any action which can now be taken must be by mutual consent of both parties.

GAVE HURDY-GURDY MAN $10 BY ERROR

A Jamaica Plain boy gave a hurdy-gurdy man two five dollar gold pieces in mistake for two cents yesterday. To-day Mrs. John Hurd of No. 9 Alvanette street, Jamaica Plain asked the police of that district to find the hurdy-gurdy man so she could get her money back.

LABOR REBUKE TO GOMPERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, received a setback yesterday when the brewery workers in convention at the Labor Temple, in East Eighty-fourth street, refused to support Bryan, as suggested by Gompers, declared for Debs and contributed $500 to the campaign fund of the Socialist party.

The brewery workers' organization represents 40,000 men throughout the country.

ANARCHIST PLAN TO KILL SPAIN'S KING

PAU, France, Sept. 25.—Government agents arrested several men here to-day suspected of being dangerous anarchists. The police claim that they have evidence showing that the men were plotting to assassinate King Alfonso of Spain on Saturday.

RULES THAW IN CONTEMPT

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 25.—Harry Kendall Thaw, who is now in jail at White Plains, N. Y., will be taken to Pittsburg within a short time, it now appears. He has been declared in contempt of court and will be brought to this city as soon as the necessary warrant is filled out, to be dealt with according to law.

A. P. Meyer, attorney for Roger O'Mara, trustee in the Thaw bankruptcy proceedings, to-day filed an order of court he had secured from Judge R. W. Archbald at Scranton. The order is accompanied by a warrant, which is as yet blank, and will have to be filled out by the United States authorities.

INDIAN'S VICTIM MAY DIE.

BROCKTON, Sept. 25.—Edward C. Giles, who was shot in the head by Andrew D. Brown, a half-breed Indian, is in a critical condition at the Brockton Relief Hospital. Brown was arraigned in the court charged with assault with intent to murder and pleaded not guilty. He was held for the grand jury.

WRIGHT FLIES AGAINST WIND

LE MANS, Sept. 25.— Wilbur Wright made a successful flight against the wind, which was blowing at the rate of about eighteen miles an hour. This was the strongest breeze the American aeronaut had yet faced, but he remained up for a fraction more than fifty-four minutes, covering officially thirty-nine kilometres (twenty-four miles), which is about half a kilometre more than the distance he made for the Michelin prize on Monday. In reality Wright covered about fifty-five miles, the force of the wind obliging him to make wide turns.

NEWSDEALER TRIES TO END LIFE BY SHOT

George E. French, aged 62, of No. 93 Austin street, Cambridgeport, for forty years a newsdealer in Central Square, Cambridge, attempted suicide early to-day by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. At the Cambridge hospital, where he was taken, it is said he will die.

"RUSH" VICTIM ABSOLVES LADS FROM BLAME

WORCESTER, Sept. 25.—Emil Gran, the Worcester Polytechnic School student whose back was broken in the annual rush of the freshman and sophomore classes Tuesday evening, is at the point of death at the Worcester City Hospital, and physicians do not believe that he has a chance for recovery.

In his lucid moments the lad has talked with his mother, and has asked her to send word to the boys at the school who were concerned in the affair to assure them that he does not blame any of them for the accident.

$40,000,000 IN FOREST FIRES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Raymond W. Pullman of the forest service, who is in Minnesota investigating forest fire conditions for the government, estimates the loss in that State at from five to ten million dollars, with the fires still burning.

He reports a heavy rainfall lasting five hours, but says thirty-six hours of rain are necessary to put all fires out.

After traveling through the entire northern country in the region where the fires raged hottest, Professor Filbert Roth of the forestry department of the University of Michigan estimates the damage done this season at $40,000,000.

BIG PAPER MILLS TO RESUME WORK

FRANKLIN, N. H., Sept. 25.—Superintendent W. E. Rivenet of the International Paper Company's local mills has received word that the strike of paper makers had been settled and that all would go to work on Monday morning. About fifty men are out here on account of the strike, while the total number laying on account of shutdown for repairs and strike totals over 200. Mills at Berlin, N. H., Livermore Falls and Rumford Falls, Me.; Bellows Falls, Vt., and Montague, Mass., are affected.

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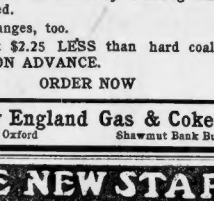

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Men's Fine Cashmere Half Hose, the 25c quality, now 19c

Men's Excellent Coat Style Sweaters, gray and navy, gray and red and plain gray. This sale 69c

Men's Fine Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. Value $1, marked for this sale 79c

'YOUNG JIM' TEN EYCK HELD ON THEFT CHARGE

ALLEGE HE GOT $1,600 FROM SALEM YOUTH BY CROOKED POOL GAME.

SALEM, Sept. 25.—Inspector Dennis of the local police department today secured extradition papers and started for Syracuse to get James A. Ten Eyck, Jr., stroke of the championship Syracuse varsity eight and son of the famous oarsman, who is under arrest charged with the larceny of $1,600 from Stephen Gause of this city, which, it is charged, he secured last August through fraud in connection with a pool game.

Ten Eyck, it is said, will not oppose extradition, but will return with Inspector Dennis to face the charges here.

The first complaint in connection with the loss of the money was made about two months ago to the Boston police and Gause was detained on his story that he borrowed the money from his employers. A conference between the boy, his father and the officials of a Salem bank, which then employed the boy, followed and young Gause was released. He gave a meager description of the party he claimed got the money and for two months the police have been at work on the case. Ten Eyck, it is said, was traced from Boston to Worcester and then to Syracuse, where he resumed his studies at the opening of the college year.

The arrest was made very quietly at Syracuse yesterday and few people in the city outside of those directly concerned were aware of it. The Syracuse police were first given a suspicion that the young oarsman might be sought by the Massachusetts authorities when the police of Salem asked for his record. Nothing definite could, however, be learned in this city and it was supposed the case against him had fallen through.

The Ten Eycks ordinarily make their home in Worcester, but the father is at present engaged as coach for the Syracuse University rowing teams and so his family have of late been making their home in that city with the son, who is a junior. The elder man has also been engaged in teaching the two sons of E. H. Harriman to row.

Young Ten Eyck is a member of the class of 1905 at the university and is extremely popular among the students. Not only was he stroke of the winning varsity crew this year, but during his freshman year he rowked his class to victory.

The father takes his son's arrest very keenly and refuses to believe him guilty. Father and son had a long interview in the cell at the local police headquarters. At its close it was declared that the lad would have no difficulty in proving a complete alibi.

CAN PLAY BALL ON SUNDAYS

The War Department has refused to stop United States soldiers or others from playing ball on Sunday at Fort Banks. Some residents of Winthrop protested against games there on the Sabbath. The adjutant-general of the army has written Attorney David Beckhmod as follows:

"As athletic exercises constitute an important part of the military training of a soldier, and as the authorities, State and municipal, appear not to regard Sunday baseball playing upon the reservation of Fort Banks as a violation of any State or municipal law, it is believed that the War Department is not called upon to take any steps towards suppressing the games."

AEROPLANES AS SEA SCOUTS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Heavier than air machines for scouting purposes at sea are now talked of as an auxiliary to the naval establishment.

Their practicability for this work is the belief of Lieutenant George C. Sweet of the bureau of equipment of the navy, who by Secretary Moorefield's direction has been observing the tests of the Wright aeroplane at Fort Myer, Va. Lieutenant Sweet is preparing specifications for a heavier air machine which will be submitted to Admiral Converse, the chief of the bureau of equipment.

BABY WEIGHS 180 POUNDS.

BUCYRUS, O., Sept. 25.—Giovanni Testi and wife arrived in Bucyrus yesterday with their thirty-months-old baby, which tips the scale at 180 pounds.

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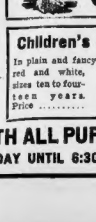

Misses' Jumper Dresses Made of fancy plaids, trimmed with braid and buttons to match (like cut). Sizes 14 and 16. Price, **3.98**

Babies' Dresses Babies' flannel Russian style Dresses, in pink and blue checks and stripes, box plaits back and front, trimmed with braid. Sizes two to three years. Price..... **49c**

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Fresh Killed Fowl. Regular price 15c lb., our price..... **12½c**

Fresh Native Smelts. Regular price 20c lb., our price 2 lbs. for..... **25c**

Fresh Salmon. Regular price 20c and 30c, our price ..... **15c** and **25c**

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1 Bottle of Olives.....	15c	**10¢**
1 Package of Butter Thins.....	10c	**7¢**
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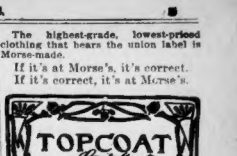

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STURTEVANT GIRL ON RACK IN DEATH PROBE

Special to the Boston American.

NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 25.—Police chief Henry W. Mason and Inspector George Gendron have put Miss Grace Sturtevant through a severe questioning regarding her acquaintance during the past two months with former Private William C. Howard of the Fifty-second Coast Artillery, now held on a charge of murdering his young wife, Ida Howard, by drowning her in the Apponagansett river at Padanaram last Saturday night.

Miss Sturtevant is the girl who secured Howard's acquittal last July from a charge of manslaughter in shooting Edward Dewhurst. She received the first testimony substantiated Howard's claim of self-defense.

Miss Sturtevant has refused now, however, to corroborate Howard's asserting that he was with her Saturday evening. She has said she was with her brother and that she would have nothing more to do with Howard.

GRAPPLES WITH NEGRO; FALLS THREE STORIES

Grappling with a negro he found in his room at No. 63 Chestnut street, Wenham, today, John B. Hackett, aged twenty-five, dragged the intruder into the hallway. After a struggle, both fell down the stairway to the landing below. There the battle was resumed and Hackett and the negro in the struggle toppled over the balustrade dropping between the stairway and wall of the house, two stories further.

The negro who fell underneath was stunned.

Miss Anna J. Hackett, a sister of Hackett, called two men from the street and they tied the negro's hands and feet until the arrival of officer Danford of Station Three, who arrested him.

The man was charged with the charge of breaking and entering. A week ago a gold watch which Hackett valued at $150, some cash and small articles, were stolen from his room.

HARVARD MAN TO RELIEVE WU

PEKING, Sept. 25.—Chung Mun Yew, a Harvard graduate, who is to succeed Wu Ting Fang as Chinese minister at Washington, in his stay in America, and is expected to relieve Wu in December.

Ting Shao Yi, who is one of the "old world" and who is accompanying Mun Yew to America, is bearing a letter to the people of the United States from the Emperor of China, thanking them for the remission of a portion of the "Boxer" indemnity by the Washington government.

He is accompanied by a numerous suite and is making the journey instructed as contained in an imperial edict issued last June.

TAXICAB AND BUGGY COLLIDE

Early to-day a taxicab in Medford ran into a buggy in which were Dr. F. A. Weeks of No. 14 Evergreen avenue, Winter Hill, his daughter Ida and his daughter Laura, both of whom were thrown out and injured.

The accident occurred in front of the Tufts College Postoffice on College avenue. The buggy and automobile were going in the same direction.

Dr. Weeks was injured about the legs and sustained internal injuries and cuts on his face and hands. Miss Weeks escaped with cuts on her face and hands. They were taken to their home.

'LEAP THE GAP' IN REAL LIFE

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 25.—The feat of jumping a gap in an automobile was intentionally performed here last night, and as a result Joseph Hayes of Philadelphia, a factory owner, is suffering from severe scalp wounds.

The Ferry street bridge is of the "jack-knife" variety, which swings up when boats go through. Mr. Hayes' machine was coming down the street at a rapid rate of speed.

His chauffeur, William Wagner, failed to see the signal that the bridge was about to be turned up to let a boat through. Too late to shut off the power, he ran the machine up the incline. The auto shot upward at an acute angle, jumped the gap and landed on the other side of the bridge. Wagner was thrown to the wheel and came across without a scratch. The machine was not injured.

GYPSY GUILTY OF CHILD THEFT

Gregory Radusiavitch, alias Joseph Radusiavitch, king of the gypsies who were recently encamped at West Roxbury, was today found guilty in Suffolk Superior Court of forcibly detaining sixteen-year-old Irene F. Balsena, whom he took from her home in Russia. The jury was out an hour and a half. Judge Bell will pass sentence later.

The girl is held at Charles street jail for the United States authorities, who will probably ship her back to her home in Russia.

DIES OF CHOLERA.

MANILA, Sept. 25.—Alfred McVeigh, a government employe and for many years a resident of Columbus, O., died here, another victim of the cholera scourge.

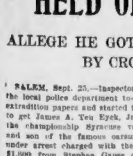
SPECIAL NOTICE.

MELON COLIC DAYS Have no terror if mother remembers and has at hand a bottle of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Cordial. The traveler's friend on land or sea. A specific for indigestion, dysentery, cholera morbus and a hundred everyday ills. Always better. Avoid substitutes.

ENDS LIFE NEAR HIS LOST LOVE

The body of Sebastino Yevardi, a laborer, was found early to-day lying in the yard in the rear of No. 19 Allen court, West Newton, with a bullet wound in his head. A revolver lay a few feet from the body. Yevardi is said to have been separated from his wife for some time and on the day of his death was the house where she lived. Yevardi boarded on River street, West Newton.

FOR THE LIBRARY



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W. R. HEARST'S SPEECH.

OIL TRUST CORRUPTION OF OLD PARTIES EXPOSED

Following is the full text of the speech of W. R. Hearst at the State convention of the Independence League in New York City last night.

"The National Independence party exists to-day as an active and powerful force for good in every State in the Union.

"From many States I bring the greetings of the Independence party to this convention of the State, by which the Independence party was born. Mr. Hisgen and I have carried your greetings and your doctrines throughout the country. We have maintained your contention, that both the old parties are equally corrupt, and we have been able with court records and signed documents to substantiate the assertion.

"We have offered a new party to the Independence party—as the one hope of restoring the people's government from the control of depraved bosses, purchased politicians and corrupt corporations. We have the kind of men in our party who founded this nation and first secured its independence. We have the kind of men who assembled in Philadelphia and issued the inspiring utterances of the Declaration of Independence. We have the kind of men who fought to make that declaration a living fact; who founded a free and pure government, and handed it to us with the injunction to keep it free and keep it pure.

"We have in our party the kind of men who are fighters for what they believe to be right, and they look to New York and to your candidate for Governor to lead the fight.

"One of the old parties has nominated Mr. Hughes, who throughout his term has served with great privilege and ability the consummate skill of a trained corporation lawyer. He has created public service commissions which have spent by the millions the money of the people and whose only service has been to protect corrupt corporations in the pillage of the people.

"Corporations Own Hughes."

"Mr. Hughes vetoed the two-cent railroad fare bill and the five-cent Coney Island fare bill. He has protected on every side the corporations which own him and has overlooked on every side the people who elected him.

"His opposition to racetrack gambling is creditable and would amply justify his election as town sexton, but his record of subservience to privileged interests is not creditable, and does not justify his election as Governor.

"The other old party has nominated Mr. Chanler, who has been worn smooth in the last two years as the pocket piece of Charlie Murphy. He was not a very deep die to begin with, but what little character he had has been rubbed off by constant contact with Charlie Murphy's oiled thumb. The head has gone from one side of the pocket piece to the other and then to the other; the date has disappeared, and even the motto "In God We Trust" is no longer decipherable.

"You Independence voters of New York took Mr. Chanler from obscurity. You nominated him, and the very day he took office he surrendered you into the hands of your enemies.

Showed Corruption in Parties.

"I have read letters to show the corruption in the Republican party. I have read letters and court records and documents to show the equal or even greater corruption in the Democratic party.

"The Republicans have at least repudiated their Foraker, but the Democrats cling tenaciously to their Ballseys and their Haskells. Mr. Bryan assails Mr. Haskell, and writes Mr. Roosevelt proudly claiming to be responsible for Mr. Haskell.

"Mr. Kern rushes to the defence of Mr. Haskell, although it would be highly appropriate for somebody to rush to the defence of Mr. Kern. Mr. Mack says that when he said he had gotten $300,000 he was only jokING. Mr. Mack, to be perfectly frank, admits that he lied, and we, to be perfectly frank, admit that we don't know whether he was lying then or is lying now.

"Mr. Bryan and Mr. Kern attack the Republican party for not prosecuting the Steel Trust.

"Perhaps they don't know that Mr. Roosevelt will whip the Steel Trust out of the Republican party and into the Democratic party, as he did the Oil Trust, and that Mack will get another $300,000.

Steel Trust in It, Too.

"If Mr. Roosevelt should drive out the Steel Trust the Democratic party is quite ready to receive it, for this same C. N. Haskell, according to court records, is one of the men who helped to organize the Steel Trust.

"In the Court of Common Pleas of Putnam county, Ohio, John F. Bailey, law partner of Haskell, sued the Illinois Steel Company, and the following papers are extracted from the complaint:

"Plaintiff avers that within and during the year commencing July 1, 1897, one Charles N. Haskell, who was residing said time an attorney-at-law, at the special instance and request of said defendant, the Illinois Steel Company, acted as agent and attorney for said defendant, the Illinois Steel Company, and brought about the acquisition by said defendant of certain property, and in the formation and organization of the Federal Steel Company, and in the sale by the said defendant of certain stocks to the said Federal Steel Company, and in the sale and transfer by said defendant to said Federal Steel Company of certain ore lands, so called, and of certain other property.

"And the plaintiff avers that said services of said Charles N. Haskell rendered by him to said defendant as aforesaid were and are of the reasonable value of $50,000, and were and are but 2½ per cent. of the gross sum of the price realized by said defendant from said services, and that the charges, fees and compensation are reasonable and just.

"Plaintiff avers that thereafter, said Charles N. Haskell duly sold, assigned and transferred to the said plaintiff all his said claims and demands against said defendant, and this pleading now comes the owner and holder thereof."

It appears, not from any assertion, but from court records, that Mr. Haskell is the son of Colonel C. N. Haskell, the Oklahoma railroad promoter, but a Steel Trust organizer, and the brother-in-law of Senator Mr. Mack, and no wonder Mr. Bryan and Mr. Kern do not like to have Haskell's valuable a campaign treasurer.

Before I read you a few more letters regarding the Standard Oil I want to read you Mr. Hughes's description of that corrupt organization, expressed publicly in a speech at a banquet of Harvard men in Boston on Jan. 29, 1908:

"My Friends—We often hear, for want, perhaps, of some clearer thought—we often hear a speaker attack the Standard Oil Company. I sometimes think that the speaker has merely heard the name mentioned and does not know what the purpose of the company is or its method of business. The Standard Oil Company has done wonders in the United States. The Standard Oil Company, by the application of good business principles, by the application of good genius and discovery of the component parts of the raw material, has made oil products reach values that never could have been reached by others.

"Fellow members of the Independence party: I tell you that the Standard Oil Company has done wonders in the United States, and I am glad to be in the United States to say so.

"We all know that the Standard Oil Company, by the application of genius and discovery, has created values out of the raw material in the interests of the Democratic party.

Another Standard Oil Letter.

"As an example of methods that were never dreamed of a few years ago, I am going to read you the following letters:

AID FOR M'LAURIN.

26 Broadway, December 12, 1901.

Hon. John L. McLaurin, Senate Chamber, Washington, D. C.

My Dear Senator—I have your kind favor of yesterday. We have, of course, noted your recent line of agreeable experience with T. with the utmost interest. Think you have done just the right thing in not being guided by him into doing a foolish thing.

I am greatly interested in the suggestion of the Senatorship, and will see to it that it is kept in mind, with the hope that something may develop in which I can be of service to you in connection therewith. With kind regards, I am, very truly yours,

JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

SENATOR ASKS SUPPORT.

United States Senate,
Bennettsville, S. C., May 29, 1902.

Dear Mr. Archbold—I have pushed my fights so vigorously that they have called on Ultimatum. I met him at Gaffney and beat him at his own game. I called his bluff and now the fight is for two seats in the Senate instead of one. I can beat Tillman if properly and generously supported. There is no time to lose, however. I enclose an account of both meetings for your information. With kindest regards, I am, yours sincerely,

JOHN L. M'LAURIN.

INTRODUCED TO BANKER.

26 Broadway, April 21, 1903.

Mr. Frederick L. Eldridge, First Vice-President Knickerbocker Trust Company, 66 Broadway, City:

Dear Mr. Eldridge—It gives me pleasure to introduce to you hereby Senator J. McLaurin of South Carolina, who desires to discuss with you some business questions of mutual interest. I cannot speak in too high terms of Senator McLaurin, for whom I bespeak your most kindly consideration. Very truly yours,

JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

Senator McLaurin is a Democrat, and Bailey is a Democrat, and Bryan's man Haskell is a Democrat, and no one imagines that the Standard Oil company is a partisan concern. Not at all. It is ruled by a noble spirit of independence. It is independent as we are, and if we would preserve our liberties we must be as independent and non-partisan as it is.

SENATOR WANTS $1,000.

This letter is about a Republican Senator:

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL.
House of Representatives,
Washington, Nov. 22, 1903.

My Dear Mr. A.—A Rep. United States Senator came to me today to make a loan of $1,000. I told him I did not have it, but would try and get it for him and would let him know in a day or two. Do you want to make the investment? He is one who will do anything for his friends if ever needed. Please telegraph me yes or no. I will give you name when I see you. I don't know but what we are playing no small hand, and want to know whether you are with us. The nomination of a Republican President is not yet settled. No man can safely predict the nominee and guess I have got hold of the real situation as closely as any one here.

If you need me for any purpose telegraph me and I will come over. Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH C. SIBLEY.

The word Rep. cannot possibly mean republic. We are positive on that point. It might possibly mean rep-resentable, but it more probably means Republican. The above letter undoubtedly relates to a Republican Senator, but do not, as I have said before, imagine that these great corporations which make investments in the people's representatives are partisan institutions.

This next letter shows how they are ready to take advantage of any turn in any election and to have their candidate chosen, no matter whether a State goes Democratic or Republican:

OIL TRUST'S CANDIDATE.

Mr. H. H. Clark, Pittsburg, Pa.:

Dear Mr. Clark—As West Virginia seems to have gone Democratic, which will give her a Democratic United States Senator to succeed Faulkner, I write to ask whether Governor Fleming has made any intimation of his intentions in respect to a candidacy for this place. There is probably no man in West Virginia better qualified or who could make a more capable and honorable Senator than he. If he has said nothing to you, won't you please raise the question with him and tell him that we all here would be greatly interested in having him make an effort for the place and would be only too happy to extend to him all the aid that may be in our power. I would like to hear from you just as promptly as possible on this subject. If it is possible for you to confer with him either personally or telephone at once will be glad to have you do so, and please telegraph me in cipher the result. Yours very truly,

JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

Can you not see that it makes no difference to these great corporate interests which of the two parties wins? Can you not see that the old Republican party is heads and the Democratic party is tails, and the game is break you lose and tails these corporations win? Can you not see that the only thing these corporation interests are afraid of is a new party, an independent party?

If you cannot see that let me read you this letter:

ASKS OIL TRUST'S AID.

Indiana, Pa., Oct. 31, 1904.

Mr. John Archbold, New York:

My Dear Sir—In the county of Lancaster, Pa., the regular Republican ticket is being opposed by an independent movement.

Hon. W. W. Griest, Secretary of the Commonwealth under the Stone administration, is the leader of the regular Republicans and our particular friend. Your people have some interests in Lancaster County, and if you could get them to take an interest for the straight Republican ticket you would oblige a favor. Very cordially yours,

JOHN P. ELKIN.

"Their particular friends are the leaders of the old parties, Democrats or Republicans, and their corruption funds are for the leaders of the old parties, Democrats or Republicans, and their creed is of the independent vote and the Independence party.

"Go forth, my friends, to battle. You have a mission to perform. As our fathers fought to found this government and make it free and pure, do you fight to restore the government to its former freedom and purity. Make no fusion with fraud, no compromise with corruption.

"Wring from out the temple of your government the corrupt corporations and the debauched old parties, which have pandered to them, and establish a new party based on the old American ideals of honesty and integrity and on the eternal truths of the Declaration of Independence.

John P. Elkin was formerly a candidate for Governor on the Prohibition ticket, and afterward went on the bench of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. He is very influential in Republican State politics.

SAYS BRYAN REFUSED TO READ HASKELL CHARGES

OKLAHOMA EDITOR DECLARES NEBRASKAN TORE THEM UP WHEN PRESENTED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 25.—L. T. Russell, editor of the Ardmore, Okla., Morning Democrat, who is in Kansas City, has sent an open letter to W. J. Bryan calling attention to the fact that all the charges made by William R. Hearst against Charles N. Haskell, Governor of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee and chairman of the platform committee of the national convention, had been given by him (Mr. Russell) to Mr. Bryan last Fall, and that Mr. Bryan deliberately tore the pages in two and threw them out the car window.

Mr. Russell also gives what he declares is absolute proof of Governor Haskell's intimate relations with the Standard Oil Company. The letter to Mr. Bryan follows:

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 25, 1908.

W. J. Bryan, Lincoln, Neb.:

Dear Sir—I notice that in your reply to President Roosevelt's attack on Governor Haskell you say you were entirely ignorant of there ever having been any charges made against Mr. Haskell. If you were ignorant of such charges it is because you refused to read them when presented to you when you visited Oklahoma last Fall in the interest of candidate Haskell.

Threw Them Out the Window.

At that time I personally presented to you ten typewritten pages of the charges against Mr. Haskell covering his operations in Ohio, New York, Texas and Oklahoma. You did me the courtesy of tearing them up and throwing them out of the train window without reading them.

The charges recently made by Mr. Hearst were all made by me at that time.

I now offer you the following information concerning his relations with the Standard Oil subsidiary companies in Oklahoma since he became Governor:

Last Spring before the Prairie Oil & Gas Company began operations in the pipe line construction in violation of law, I made a visit to Guthrie. While standing in the State House lobby, Mr. Ledbetter, attorney for the Waters-Pierce Oil Company in Oklahoma came out of Governor Haskell's private office and asked me to accompany him to the telegraph office, as he had a very important telegram to send.

On the way to the station he explained he had been in conference with Governor Haskell on some oil matters.

"Saw Haskell and It's All Right."

When we reached the telegraph office, Mr. Ledbetter wrote a telegram to Colonel J. D. Johnson, general attorney for the Waters-Pierce Co., at St. Louis, saying:

"I have just finished a conference with Governor Haskell and everything is satisfactorily arranged."

In a very short time the Prairie Oil & Gas Company began preparations for constructing their pipe line without becoming a domestic corporation.

A few days before the Supreme Court handed down its decision Haskell prepared a very lengthy document, covering nearly forty pages of his weekly paper, the New State Tribune.

I personally saw the letter from Colonel J. D. Johnson to his Oklahoma attorneys, W. A. Ledbetter, agreeing to pay for and circulate 30,000 copies of Haskell's paper containing Haskell's attack on West and his defence for refusing to prosecute the Prairie Oil & Gas Company.

PLEA BY WIFE FREES HUSBAND

August Knoder, a Russian immigrant, who was indicted on the charge of importing an affinity into this country, was today released from custody, after having been granted by Judge Dodge in the United States District Court.

His wife, Marta, interceded for her husband for the sake of their two children, Edward, and as the affinity, Matilda Yess, had been deported at the instance of the immigration officials, at the suggestion of Assistant Attorney Asa P. French the judge released the man, on condition he leave the country.

ALFRED GWYNNE LOSES HIS SON

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Elsie French Vanderbilt, former wife of Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt, was yesterday awarded the custody of their only child, William Henry Vanderbilt, aged six. Judge Gerard of the Supreme Court based the order to that effect and at the same time signed the final decree granting absolute divorce to the father.

Mr. Vanderbilt may see his little son, however, at any time with the Court's approval, after first giving the attorney notice to Mrs. Vanderbilt. He was at the Mineola home when yesterday when he learned of the final decree and the order concerning his son. He declined to discuss his affairs, but looked happy and contented. Mrs. Vanderbilt is at Newport.

IRISH VOTERS WIN ELECTION

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Eng., Sept. 25. The Irish vote, allegated by the action of the Government prohibiting the procession of the Eucharistic Congress in London, which was to have been followed by a crushing blow on the government in the by-election held here today to fill the seat in the House of Commons from Newcastle-on-Tyne caused by the recent death of Thomas Charles Lloyd.

With a majority of over 6,000 in the general election of 1906, the Haddam will go to the polls full of confidence. The outcome, however, was a great surprise. The Unionist candidate, G. Renwick, who was returned from this constituency in 1900, was elected with a majority of 2,143 over Mr. Shortt, the Liberal candidate.

MAYOR HIBBARD ILL WITH FEVER

Mayor Hibbard is ill abed in his Dorchester home and suffering from a recurrent attack of malaria. He went to the old-timers' ball game with Mayor Wardwell of Cambridge yesterday and caught cold there.

When he got home a fever had set in and Dr. A. L. Draper is attending him. It is a recurrence of the attack he had while in Provincetown a month ago.

He is confined to his home for several days, and at City Hall there are fears that there is danger of his being stricken again with pneumonia. He suffered with that disease two years ago.

Torturing Animals To Assist Science

Is A Cruel Method to Follow, But It Has Saved Many Human Lives.

Prof. Pawlow, of Russia, was engaged for many years in experimenting on dogs in order to learn the workings of digestion, especially the digestive glands.

He, with able assistants, operated upon dogs, cats, guinea pigs and other animals.

His methods were seemingly painful, but he gave to science a work which won the Nobel prize and made for him an undying fame.

Science penetrated the secrets of nature. Prof. Pawlow saw natural digest food. He analyzed juices from every part of the digestive canal and stomach under all conditions of digestion. He spent years of ceaseless study amid the howling and dying beasts, but he won, and science to-day looks upon him as a great man.

"To do a great right do a little wrong" Shakespeare said, and Prof. Pawlow obeyed this trite saying.

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They should be used after every meal whether one has dyspepsia and stomach trouble or the stomach be naturally healthy. By their means one may eat at all hours and whatever one desires and they help the system digest or throw off such food. They are thoroughly meritorious, as their tremendous sale and popularity illustrate.

Every drug store has them for sale, price 50c per package. If you would like to test their merits free, send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail without cost. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

BOY TORTURED BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema—No Night's Rest for Nearly a Year—Feared Lifelong Disfigurement—All Treatments Failed and Limit of Endurance Seemed Near.

PERFECT RECOVERY IS DUE TO CUTICURA

"With the exception of his hands and feet, my little boy (thirteen years old) was almost completely covered with eczema. Physicians treated him for nearly a year without helping him any. While they were very kind and did all in their power, nothing seemed to relieve him. And I had tried many remedies and so had my friends but they all failed. His head, face, and neck were covered with large scabs which he would rub until they fell off. Then blood and matter would run out and that would be worse. Many a time he looked as if his ears would drop off. Friends coming to see him said that if he got well he would be disfigured for life.

"I was afraid if he could possibly started it no longer, I decided to try Cuticura. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I used them according to directions and the first night for nearly a year that he slept. This may sound exaggerated to you, but I am telling the truth and a great change for the better. In about six weeks you could not have told that he had ever had anything wrong with him. I treated him for about three months and at present he has a fine complexion and not a scar on his body. This story may seem overdrawn, but neither words nor pen can describe Clyde's suffering and how he looked. Our leading physician, Dr. ——, recommends the Cuticura Remedies for eczema. Mrs. Alex Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907."

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap and weekly dressings with Cuticura stop falling hair, remove dandruff, scales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, supply the roots with nourishment, loosen the scalp skin, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp, when all other remedies fail.

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ACTRESS SUING ELKINS HAS 200 LOVING LETTERS

Miss Lonsdale Asks $100,000 for Alleged Breach of Promise to Marry,

"WROTE ME EVERY DAY"

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Miss Ada Louise Lonsdale, the actress recently with Lew Shubert, who has begun suit for alleged breach of promise, asking $100,000 damages from Blaine Elkins, son of United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, through Attorney Jesse Epstein, today made public some of the 200 letters and telegrams she says she received from Young Elkins.

The letters show the closest kind of intimacy between Miss Lonsdale and Blaine Elkins, even to within a month of his marriage to Miss Emily Bird Keene last February. A month before his marriage, while he was stopping with his sister at the Marlborough Blenheim at Atlantic City, N. J., he wrote to Miss Lonsdale, according to one of the letters, to come down to the seaside resort.

Of the 200 letters which Miss Lonsdale says she has is this one:

"Davis Colliery Company,
"Coalton, W. Va. (undated).

"Dear Lisa—I sent some money the other day. You don't want to lose your nerve and go up in the air the way you do. I doubt if you really have the 'vote,' but your idea about seeing some specialist is a good one.

"How long have you been sick and when did it start? It certainly came at just the wrong time for me, but hope it isn't really serious. The doctor can tell you the best places to go, etc., but there is no use getting all excited till you are sure you are sick and know all about it.

"You know I am up against it now more or less for money, but if you have to go some place, don't suppose it will be very expensive. I can't be sure of getting away, but will try it slip off about the Fourth or shortly after. Don't fail to keep writing every day. Remember me to Agnes, and don't let yourself get blue and discouraged.

"BLAINE."

BREAKS ARM IN AMHERST RUSH

AMHERST, Sept. 25.—Ralph B. Heavens of the entering class fell over a precipitous bank in a rush with the sophomores last night and broke his right arm. President Harris put a stop to hazing for the rest of the night upon being informed.

ITALIAN MOB FIRES CITY BUILDINGS

GIRGENTI, Italy, Sept. 25.—An Anarchistic mob composed of striking sulphur mining workers set Licata, near here, today set fire to the custom house and the town hall building and then fought desperately with the police in an attempt to burn the private dwelling of the Mayor.

W. C. T. U. IS WARRING ON 'TIPSY CANDY'

A strong resolution against the manufacture or sale of alcoholic candies was passed at the twenty-fourth semi-annual convention of the Suffolk County Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Neponset Thursday, and a vigorous campaign ordered to see that the law in the matter is duly enforced.

This action arises from the crusade now going on in New York against the sale of creme de menthe bonbons and Jamaica rum flavored caramels. Health Commissioner Darlington, convinced that these rum and brandy flavored sweets are being sold to children to the detriment of their health, started the affair, and was nearly seconded by the N. Y. W. C. T. U.

The Massachusetts W. C. T. U. has always been active in preventing either the manufacture or sale of "tipsy candy," and, realizing the possibilities of the none-enforcement of the law, will start active work on its own account.

It has resolved to work earnestly for the enforcement of the law passed fifteen years ago to the effect that no alcoholic candies be either manufactured or sold in this State.

LYNN ELKS' NEW HOME DEDICATED

LYNN, Sept. 25.—The Lynn Lodge of Elks, assisted by representatives of the grand and subordinate lodges of New England, dedicated their new home last night. At the conclusion of the ritualistic service Mayor Thomas J. Potter stood in a window, addressed a throng outside and presented the lodge with the American flag. Five hundred Elks in evening dress paraded the streets to Casino Hall, where a banquet was served.

GLOUCESTER MAN GETS HERO MEDAL

GLOUCESTER, Sept. 25.—Melbourne F. Tretty, an East Gloucester fisherman, is the first to receive the Livingston hero medal, given by Mrs. Charles Carroll Livingston of New York for exceptional bravery in saving life. The presentation was witnessed by a large assembly of people at the Fishermen's Institute last evening.

BEACHMONT GIRL FOUND WANDERING

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 25.—Mary Burnett of Beachmont, Mass., a graduate of Radcliffe College, and classmate of Helen Keller, was found wandering about in the vicinity of the Cliff House at Cape Elizabeth, and when questioned by the officers was unable to give any connected account of her doings and could not even tell her name. Her condition was such that she was taken to the office of Dr. J. K. P. Rogers and from there to the City Home.

2 KILLED, 50 HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 25.—Two persons were killed and more than fifty persons were injured in the wreck of the eastbound Frisco passenger train on the Spring River, a mile north of Carthage. The engine turned completely twice in the steep descent of fifty feet and plunged into the river. The engineer and fireman were drowned.

STORM COMING FROM THE ROCKIES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A storm of marked intensity was central last night on the Rocky Mountain region, whence it is moving eastwardly during the next twenty-four hours. It is causing rains in the Rocky Mountain region and lower Mississippi Valley, and along the northwest Canadian border.

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Fine blue serges, fancy brown, tan, gray worsteds, etc., also all new Fall Scotches, all sizes, 7 to 17 years.

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In red, blue and tan, serges and covert cloths, all with velvet collars, all cut full and are perfect fitting, sizes 3 to 10.

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Our Boys' department brim full of distinctive styles for the boy in all the swellest new Fall styles at
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Boys' 25c Wash Blouses 15c
All sizes 7 to 15 years, guaranteed washable.

Our Boys' Hat Dept.
Contains all the swell Eton, Golf and Varsity caps at 49c, 75c, 98c.

Boys' $5.00 Suits at $3.45
Fine double breasted style, all wool materials, coats serge lined, trousers lined and double seated, sizes 7 to 17 years.

Boys' $7.50 Suits at $4.95
Fine Corduroy, in two shades, sizes 7 to 15 years.

Young Men's $15 Suits $10.00
Fine worsteds and Scotches, all the new swell cuts, all the new patterns, browns, grays and blacks, fine fittings, sizes 32 to 36.
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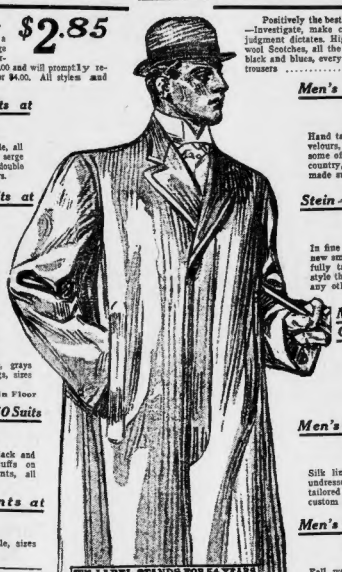

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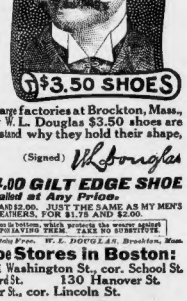

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Khaki Hunting Coats, with cordurov collar, at..... $2.75
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Canvas Hunting Coats, with game pockets, at..... 95c
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Canvas Military Leggins, special at..... 69c

Henry Siegel Co., Sporting Goods Dept.—Third Floor

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DEATH NOTICES.

DAVIS—In Roxbury, Sept. 23, Isaac R. Davis, 67 yrs.
Funeral services at his late residence, 29 Ball st., on Saturday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DEAPER—In Roxbury, Sept. 23, Charles E. Draper, in his 73d year.
Funeral services at his late residence, 112 Bower st., on Friday, Sept. 25, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GRIFFIN—In Cambridge, Sept. 24, 1908, Grace A. Griffin, wife of Francis Griffin, and sister of Rose Boston, aged 42 years, 4 days.
Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. T. Ryan, 20 Chestnut street, Cambridgeport, Saturday, Sept. 26, 1908, at 1 p. m.

DULLALA—In the West End, Sept. 24, Thomas M., beloved child of Michael and Catherine Dullalia (nee Mansfield), aged 1 mo. 20 da.
Funeral from parents' residence, 1 Church st., off North Grove st., Friday, Sept. 25, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

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DONOVAN—In Charlestown, Sept. 23, Johanna (Sullivan), beloved wife of James F. Donovan (nee Sullivan), 61 yrs.
Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mrs. John H. McCarthy, 1 Jefferson av., Saturday, Sept. 26, at 8:30. Solemn requiem mass at St. Francis de Sales Church at 9; thence to Mather Cemetery, Dorchester. Relatives and friends invited.

FLOWERS—In Boston, Sept. 23, John W., beloved son of Thomas W. and Ellen J. Flowers (nee Hurley), aged 21 yrs.
Funeral from residence of his father, 11 Medford st., off Washington st., Friday, Sept. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

GRANT—In Roxbury, Sept. 23, Christopher, beloved husband of Helen A. Grant (nee MacKenzie).
Funeral from his late residence, 48 Walk st., Saturday, Sept. 26, at 8 a. m.; High mass of requiem at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Members of Clan MacKenzie, Caledonian Club and Boston Caledonian Club are requested to attend. Interment private. Arrangements by W. S. Waters please copy. Please omit flowers.

HALLETT—In Chicago, Sept. 22, Elizabeth, widow of George S. Hallett, 61 yrs.
Services at Second Unitarian Church, Chelsea, Saturday, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

GREENLAW—At Soldiers' Home, Chelsea, Sept. 23, Moses W. Greenlaw, 79 years, Quincy, Friday.
Funeral from Soldiers' Home, 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers by request. Carriages will meet the 1:30 train from Boston. Maine and New Hampshire papers please copy.

HANDY—In North Brookfield, Sept. 23, Albert Handy, 84 yrs.
Funeral from Mt. Hope Cemetery Chapel, Friday, Sept. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HANNAN—In Dorchester, Sept. 23, Thomas Hannan, aged 70 years.
Funeral notice later.

ORNE—Sept. 22, Caroline, eldest daughter of the late William and Susan Orne.
Funeral from her late residence, 15 Sacramento st., Cambridge, Friday, Sept. 25, at 2 p. m.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

The Manicure Lady

She Likes to Keep Posted on Science Up to Date

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

"SAY, George," said the Manicure Lady, "what do you know about Heliol?"

"I never met him," replied the Head Barber. "I suppose, from his name, that he is one of them Greeks that is all the time encroaching on American labor."

"No, George," said the Manicure Lady. "It's different from what you think. It ain't a he, George; it's a it. It's one of them neuter things. It's a discovery by one of them scientists."

"I ain't worried," said the Head Barber. "Initiate me Maids."

"Now you listen, my journeymen," declared the Manicure Lady, "is that you don't never have time to reveal the light papers, especially the magazine sections, which is full of all the latest dope about the big Princesses that have to beat it so fast from the old cattle ranch they got sent time to put on their puffs, and you don't get a chance to read about Mrs. Astor Post, Mt. Cloud, Minn., who led a double life for twenty years, and then, horrible, she served Countess from Russia who used to torture her relations by sending them the Bolsheviki and the East Side here."

"No use talking, George, if you would only read more you would ask less questions. This Heliol stuff is the new wrinkle. It was discovered by an old fogy scientist, and he's got it all fixed up so it goes three hundred degrees below our zero, George. It's the biggest frozen stuff."

Great to Settle Fresh Guys

"This scientist says that a thimbleful of it dropped on a battleship would freeze the whole works and freeze 'em absolute. He says if a balloon was to get loose in Boston, or Paris, or Berlin, and let one charge of liquid Heliol spring on one of them Zeppelins, nothing would be left but snowdrifts and a few pieces of tin to shovel 'em away.

"Just think how swell it would be, George, if we could get this new stuff in handy little tubes, like the stuff we could put in our pipes to have in the parlor, so a geezer could be calling. A perfect lady could use it fine.

"She'd keep it all tubed up while he was telling about hearing the birds singing, for the first time in years and years and years, when he looked into her starry orbs, and she would sniff the tube in the hole while he was meandering about something different to come into his life, something to wean him away from his wild and reckless bachelor existence.

"But the minute he tries the embrace, George, you just squirt the exquisite happiness would be a girl's lot if she could sprinkle just a tiny drop of Heliol on his square-toed shoes! Oi, oi!"

Fine for a Political Frost

"I don't think a sweet little girl like you ought to try any new-fangled freezing stunt," said the Head Barber. "If a gent ever gets gay with you, your eyes are all to Heliol. Why, one shake you take look like the Northern lights sliding down on the job.

"I know, George," admitted the Manicure Lady, "but you must remember that all girls isn't equipped like me, and most of the fool the younger members of my sex, the ones they ain't been up against the fresh fellers—this Heliol will be a great stunt.

"And think what it might do for politics. Suppose Mister Heliol should find out that Mister Bryan was going to make a speech at Wayback Crossing in Georgia. All Taft would have to do would be to send a colored boy out to the room, or whatever they call the place where they speak from, and lead the orator to the tube of Heliol. One sharp ding into the crowd, and, Zowie! how many bunch of Democrats would be trapped stiff.

But Think of the Poor Fish!

"Oh, science is a great thing, George. There ain't no telling where it's going to stop. If a scientific gent can dope out stuff that will freeze you silly when you stand near a drop of it, how about getting up a nice big vat full of the milk and sprinkling it all over the Atlantic Ocean? Then the big pond would freeze over, and lots of the poor wrecks could just walk over to Europe for a vacation, to say nothing of the lake of fire and brimstone up there now, getting a chance to walk back and forth on Broadway.

"Oh, George, wouldn't it be just perfectly lovely to freeze up the ocean with that Heliol stuff, so we could skate across?

"That's just like women," said the Head Barber. "Always thinking about their complexions. If you freeze the stuff you are boosting into the sea, and if the ocean was to freeze lovely, how about the poor fish?"

"That's right," admitted the Manicure Lady. "Somehow, when I think of all the poor fish freezing, and all the poor actors walking back to America, I ain't so keen for Heliol."

Advice to the Lovelorn

By Beatrice Fairfax

HARD TO SAY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am eighteen years old, and am in love with a young man six years my senior. At present he earns $15 per week, and half of this amount he gives to his parents, as they have to support his parents, although he has a brother married, who is able to earn more than he really does.

I have been going with this young man for the past year and a half, and love him dearly, knowing that love is reciprocated. Although I have many other suitors, I am determined not to sacrifice everything for my sweetheart. What I would like to know is this: I spoke to my friend and asked him to save a little each week, but he says that, with his wife, he lets all he earns a certain amount each week.

PUZZLED.

If his parents actually need money I do not quite see how he can hold it back. Why not suggest to him that he ask his brother to help a little bit more and then your finance might do so, too. You are both young, and if you wait two years he may be in a much better position.

UNCERTAIN YOUNG LADY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a nineteen years of age, and have a soldier sweetheart who has asked me to become engaged to him on his return home, and I have promised him that I will wait for two years. He owns a rather long time. While visiting a summer resort this evening I met a very nice young man of whom I am very fond, and that I really love dearly. Should I continue writing to my former friend, or the other young man asked me to become engaged, but I refused, and I hear your advice? I dearly love the sweetheart, but I do not know him as well as the first one.

MISS B.

I am afraid that you are a very undecided young woman. If you really loved the first man you would not mind waiting for two years. You do not love him, or you would not have listened to the other man. I think you had better write to him and tell him that you do not feel sure enough of yourself to continue the engagement. As to accepting the other, if you feel sure that you care for him do so; but I think you had better think it well over before deciding either way.

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SALAD DRESSING

ONE beaten egg, add one teaspoon of sugar, one teaspoon of mustard, a little salt and butter; then add half cup of vinegar and cook until it thickens, stirring constantly. MRS. FLAVIA SCOTT.
General Delivery, Worcester.

PICKLED WATERMELON RIND

PEEL rind and cut it into strips; let it stand in salt and water over night; drain in the morning and put into one quart of vinegar, two pounds of brown sugar (or mixed spice; boil all together until you can stick a fresh pick into it easily; then remove and bottle. MRS. BURKE.
No. 19 High street, Charlestown.

MAITRE D'HOTEL BUTTER

MELT in a saucepan one-half cup of butter, and add to it the strained juice of one lemon, one tablespoon of chopped parsley and a teaspoon of Worcestershire and salt. Let it come just to a boil. Use cold on hot broiled fish.

ESCALLOPED EGGS

In a buttered baking dish put alternate layers of sliced hard-boiled eggs and bread crumbs. Pour over all one cup cream sauce for sauce. Have the last layer bread crumbs. Sprinkle with pieces of butter over the top and brown in a hot oven.

MRS. SCRIBNER.
No. 409 Maine street, Stoneham.

GRAPE PRESERVE

STEW and sift grapes; to every three pints of pulp add three pounds of sugar, 2 packages seeded raisins (partially chopped), one-quarter pound English walnut meats, or the meat of one pound of uncracked nuts, chopped. Cook twenty minutes. This is excellent as a filling for cracker sandwiches or for bramble.

MRS. SIDNEY J. HASTING.
No. 1 Sherburne avenue, Worcester.

DANISH LEMON PUDDING

FIVE eggs, five tablespoons of sugar, one pint cream, one-third cup of gelatine, one cup of water, one lemon. Soak gelatine in one-half cup of cold water one hour, then pour on one-half cup of boiling water and the grated rind of one lemon. Separate eggs, beat yolks with sugar. Whip whites and whip cream, then stir all together. Pour into moulds and serve cold.

MISS MARIE JANSEN.
No. 704 Franklin street, Melrose High.

Tomorrow's Best Bargains

Money-Savers for Thrifty Shoppers Selected by an Expert

SOME PARTICULARLY GOOD bargains in children's hats (second floor) will be found at Jordan Marsh's to-morrow. Most fifty little dresses made of the daintiest artfel, thin muslin and frequently lawn that were formerly sold for 65 cents each, $1.15 and $1.25 will be placed on sale at the clearance price of 39 cents each. There are four different styles, made in Russian and Princess models. For the little girls of 2 years or more years, some trimmed with dainty bandwing and braid and others with hand embroidery yokes. They come in both high and low necks.

AN ATTRACTIVE BARGAIN IN FOOT ball pants for the boy from eight to twelve years will be found at Filene's to-morrow, when almost forty pairs of pants that have never sold for less than $2 a pair will all be marked to 55 cents each for Saturday's special selling. These are made of fancy figured mixed cassimere and padded. As this is the time of year when all the boys are interested in football, this is an opportunity to buy at half price.

AT JAMES A. HOUSTON'S A SMALL lot of ladies' bath robes will be sold this (formerly were $5, will be marked to $1.65 each to close them out on Saturday, as they are soiled. These robes are made of heavy all-wool pink elderdown, in different styles, trimmed with satin, heavy cord and frogs to match, and will be found unusually good bargains. As this is an exceptionally low price for these, they are not expected to last long.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE a very dressy rain mesaline or taffeta silk coat at a bargain you will find about this one dozen of them on sale at Meyer Jonasson's, Washington street, at $12 each. The values, marked to close at $4.75 each. In this lot are handsome models in black, white, light blue and champagne, elaborately trimmed with combinations of the best sections, heavy medallions and touches of fine hand work. There is a beautiful little waists at this price.

Also a lot of 100 pairs of fine lace curtains in sizes from 36 to 40.

SATURDAY AT CONRAD'S several dozen black sateen petticoats will be placed on sale there as a special at 89 cents, and they are a great bargain. They are made of fine quality sateen, cut good and full, and have a fourteen-inch flounce of ruffling and shirring, with deep underpiece and dust ruffle.

TO-MORROW AT CHANDLER & CO.'S, No. 1 Tremont street, one lot of corsets, made of fancy figured mercerized in new Fall model—a regular $2 value—may be had at $1.49. This model has a medium high bust, trimmed with deep lace and ribbon, and fine webbing garters attached at front and sides. It is a good value for the price, and comes in all sizes.

JUST THE MATERIAL TO MAKE UP a dressy little waist for Fall wear may be found at McGrath's Lace Store Saturday at a bargain. This is the season's most popular material of the tailored net waist. It is fine quality white and ecru net in close one-half inch tucking, and is twenty-four inches wide. At $1.25 a yard this is really a very good bargain, as it usually sells for $2 a yard. The tailored net waist is one of the smartest models shown this Fall.

Yet Girls Say That Men Are Rude

"HELLO, bunch!" chirped Miss Flo Hall, entered breezily at 9:45.

A strained silence greeted her. Miss Eastman ran the cartridge of her typewriter violently back and forth. Miss Heinrich slashed viciously at a lead pencil. Miss Conrad and Miss Foley pensively rested the nozzles of their oil cans into infinitesimal holes concealed about their machines.

"For heaving's sake!" cried on the newcomer. "Are you all deaf and dumb. Can't you give me a civil good mornin' after I've been sittin' over on the Back Bay loop for fifteen minutes, petrified to death for fear I'd be late to work?" She grinned cheerfully.

Miss Conrad glanced up.

"The service on the loop is fierce sometimes," she contributed politely, with the air of one who owes a debt, on his return home, and I have promised him as I've been two years, it seems a rather long time. While visiting a summer resort this evening I met a very nice young man of whom I am very fond, and that I really love dearly. Should I continue writing to my former friend, or the other young man asked me to become engaged, but I refused, and I hear your advice? I dearly love the sweetheart, but I do not know him as well as the first one.

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Arc 7 Out of 8 Married Couples Unhappy?

SOME agree with Dr. Mitchell that seven out of eight couples are unhappy. Again, some think husbands are to blame generally for unhappy marriages, while others—even some women—make out a pretty strong case against wives.

What do YOU think about it?

Are seven out of eight married couples unhappy? And if so, why?

MUST LEARN GIVE AND TAKE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

So much has been said about marriage that it seems as if no more could be said. Yet there are still a few words to be added. Why should there be any failure? Discord only comes from ignorance; refinement never begets quarrels. Where refinement exists all quarrels are avoided; the well-poised persons never quarrels, and if love directs the couple and both trust in each other and think, "He will be to me what I shall be to him," there will be no mistakes or misunderstandings. The secret of happiness is mutual trust. There are couples who commence married life expecting and anticipating the unpleasant, but you may rest assured that they will come. Let them go into the new life depending on each other, not expecting more from one side than from the other, and then the scale will balance. We cannot be loved if we do not love. True love is right loved if we do not love. True love is right judgment. Believe, "He will be kind and honorable because I will be the same," and honorable because I will be the same," and you shall surely be paid in the same coin. We expect too much from the other half and too little from ourself. Give to have, and you will surely receive it. Love is to give, you will surely receive it. Love is to give, wish love.

CARMEN DE LAVAR.

BLAMES FOOLISH MAIDENS.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dr. Mitchell is wrong. The fact is that forty-seven out of forty-eight married couples are unhappy. The reason is all to be found in the ignorance of what happiness is. Read in the parable of the five wise and five unwise maidens the answer. Only one girl out of to-day burns—though her innumerable ways of dressing—the right string of them—her oil, or purity and character; and when she is without oil or character, she hunts for it beyond Heliol they are the ones to be pitied and marries him. The oil, or affection, is burned through vexation, and misery commences. Now here is the fact, which cannot be disproved by any argument.

SOLOMON II.

SPEAKS FROM EXPERIENCE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Many marriages are unhappy because the women do not do their duties as wife and mother. When husbands come home tired, nerves and need rest and comfort, their homes and wives and children often look just as untidy as when they left them in the morning. The women spend most of their time chatting on the stoop, and forget all about dinner for their husbands, and keeping their clothes in order. Mothers, keep your girls in little more from the street and keep them home to keep a home and husband happy. Then there will be more happiness between husbands and wives in families to come. I have been married and teen years a workingman's happy wife and a mother.

L. B.

LET THE HUSBAND RULE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

The reason why so many marriages are not successful is because both want to be captain of the ship, and no matter how large a ship may be, it requires but one captain; and the man should be the captain always.

O. O.

Scoiding

PERHAPS most of the scolding done in the world is between husbands and wives or between parents and boys. Parents must instruct their children; they must sometimes reprove them. They must often condemn them. But they are in danger of "provoking them to wrath"—in the wise Biblical phrase.

Children have the keenest possible sense of justice; they are also very easily hurt; and when their minds are bruised the result is estrangement, and that is as sad a thing as can ever be.

An imperious, scolding father or mother frightens the children away, drives them into all manner of evasions and subterfuges and brands their minds forever with the memory of cruel and blistering words.

THE GIRL QUESTION

The Spinster Lady Learns What Keeps Some Men in the Bachelor Class.

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

THE Spinster Lady's young cousin had brought two of his friends to call upon her. It was a cold, rainy evening, so a fire was kindled in the tiny grate, and the four sat by the ruddy glow, cosily chatting.

"This fire," said the Spinster Lady, "is my only extravagance. It helps brighten many a lonely evening."

Then, while the talk gravitated, as it always will where there are two or three young men, to the "girl question."

"How is it," said the Spinster Lady, "that you three are still unmarried? You are all old enough to marry, and I am sure there are plenty of nice girls in town."

"And I would like to make sad cousin, the oldest of the three, "but I don't feel that I can afford it!"

BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

Common Excuse of Men

"That's a very common excuse among men who don't marry. You, for instance, have a pretty good income. Just what do you consider a fair income for a man to marry?"

"I mean that the girls have such extravagant ideas that it takes a pretty courageous fellow to undertake the responsibility of providing for one of them."

"Yes," chimed in the other young men, "it does. Now, when mother and father married, they lived quite comfortably in a small house, and kept no servant. Mother did all the work, but you think my sister is like that? Why, she spends more money on clothes than their entire income when they were married. Mother did not want half the luxuries that the modern girl demands."

"Nor father half the luxuries that the modern man demands," said the Spinster Lady, mischievously.

The young men laughed. "I suppose," said one of them, "that we are more extravagant than our fathers were at the same age."

"I tell you," said a thoughtful faced young fellow, who had been silent up to this time, "that a man thinks pretty seriously before he asks a girl to share his life."

"That's true," echoed the other two.

Dreams of a Bachelor

The young man spoke again, with his eyes fixed on the dancing flames. "I often think," he said, "of how perfect it would be to sit before a fire like this with the one woman of all the world beside you.

"She need not be pretty, though of course I believe that all the girls I have ever loved but she must be wise and sweet, and good. The kind of woman I'd like to be the mother of my children must be pure-minded above all else.

He paused, and then, as no one spoke, went on again. "I think most fellows feel as I do. They will flirt with girls who are bold and loud, but they don't marry them. I want a kind of girl who makes her mother her best friend, and I want her to think as much of my good name as I do myself."

"You expect a good deal, Jim," said one of his friends.

Demands Best or Nothing

"Of course I expect a good deal. It's small honor to any woman when a man does not expect all things of her. What is it that makes us men worship woman but our ideals?"

"I think Jim is right," spoke up the Spinster Lady from her chair. "It's the goodness that there are thousands of just such girls as he describes—and I do, Jimmie boy, that you will find your ideal."

"I hope so," said the young man quietly, "and I'm going to wait until I do find her before I marry."

Sermons in Stones

No. 17—The Tarpeian Rock of Rome

By REV. THOS B. GREGORY

PROMINENT among the famous rocks of history is the Tarpeian, at Rome. If this grim old rock had a tongue it could a tale unfold that would blanch the cheek and strike the heart with terror.

It was the place of execution for state criminals, and from its summit many an illustrious man was hurled to his death—buried from wealth and power and glory to death and everlasting shame and disgrace.

The Tarpeian was a part of the Mount Capitolinus, the very heart of the renowned city on which stood the citadel and fortress of the capitol.

That capitol was the official centre of the city that was already struggling for the mastery of the world, and when it found one of its citizens who was false to its imperial designs it took him to the Tarpeian and hurled him down to destruction.

This celebrated rock was ascended by 100 steps from the Tibee side of the eminence, and was in the time of the Republic about 100 feet high. The action of the elements, together with the accumulation of rubbish at its base, has reduced its height considerably, but its still sufficiently lofty to render a leap from its summit an exceedingly dangerous experiment.

Monument of a Woman's Vanity

There is a good deal of human interest in the story of the way this historic rock got its name. In the early days, while as yet Rome was anything but the mighty power it became, the city was engaged in a life and death struggle with the Sabines.

Tarpeius was at the time Governor of the citadel on the Capitolinus, and Tarpeius had a beautiful daughter named Tarpeia, who, overcome by her love of the fine things that women have been always accused of admiring, promised to open the gates of the citadel to the Sabines provided they gave her the gold bracelets they were accustomed to wear on their arms.

The King of the Sabines consented, but as he entered the gates, to punish her perfidy, he threw not his bracelet, but his heavy shield upon Tarpeia. His followers imitated his example, and the faithless maiden was literally crushed under the weight of the shields that fell upon her.

Tarpeia was buried on the hill, and from her the ominous rock took the name of the Tarpeian Rock.

Tradition has kept the name of Tarpeia alive, and to this day the ignorant folk living about the historic hill have stories to tell of the maiden who was so long ago crushed to death beneath the Sabine shields.

Celebrated in Legend

The hill is covered with quarries, and, according to legend, deep in one of these Tarpeia sits, covered with gold and jewels, which are the shields that fell upon her.

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Scene of Manlius's Heroism

Away back in the year 381 B. C. a man was made to leap from the Tarpeian who deserved a better fate.

That man was Marcus Manlius, sprung from one of the most illustrious families of Rome, and one of the bravest, courtliest, most chivalric characters in all history.

When the terrible Gauls captured and burned the city in 390 B. C. it was Manlius who saved the citadel, and with it the liberty of his people. The Gauls in a stealthy night dash had almost got into the stronghold when Manlius discovered them and hurled them back.

Manlius was very rich, and by birth and lineage belonged to the very top tier of the aristocracy. He hated all injustice and wrong, all fraud and oppression, and when the lower orders began to bear down too unmercifully there arose the plain people the Savior of the Capitol cried a halt.

He demanded justice for the people. He swore by the good right hand that had been back in the terrible Gaulish that he would not stand for the oppression of anybody.

He publicly sold much of his property and devoted the proceeds to relieving the misfortunes of those who were being crushed by the landlords and money changers.

Scene of Manlius's Martyrdom

In a word, he openly came out for the people, taking their side against that of the proud and oppressive nobility which would crush them.

That was enough, and Manlius was declared a traitor and thrown into prison, to await his mock trial. He did not remain there long. With shouts the people marched to the prison and gave their old friend his best.

But the Patricians were rich: money, even in those days, could do wonderful, and later on Manlius was tried before a bribed tribunal and found guilty of "treason"—because he had dared to champion the cause of the people against their heartless and unscrupulous oppressors; because he had, like the brave and noble man that he was, dared to stand up for the weak against the strong and the poor against the rich.

Manlius went over the Tarpeian; but the Cause of the People did not perish with him. It survived him, and is stronger to-day than it ever was before in all the history of the race.

Sayings of a Cynic

DON'T talk unless your feet are well protected.

It takes stock manipulators to transform water into money.

With some people money is an effective substitute for brains.

Learn to play on your own canoe—if you can't afford a motor boat.

Some people without brains don't seem to have any use for a pretty man.

Many a man's literary work only where he is reasonably sure of not finding it.

Nothing pleases a woman more than an opportunity to hand a man information.

Women miss a lot of choice gossip by not having to wait their turn in a barber shop.

By looking for little faults in others a man manages to overlook a lot of big ones in himself.

It sometimes happens that a man who has a good size in life gets his elbow jogged by one foul friend.

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CHAPTER VI.

The Hardest Task.

"SO," said General Griffin, "you'd rather be shot? If you went, Burton, you probably would be. It is only fair to tell you that it means almost certain death for you and Blake, if you're not pounced on by the enemy. But—well, here's Blake."

Blake saluted.

"Ready, sir," he said.

"Yes, sir," said Burton. "Yes, sir; but—God"—No, sir. It was the Warren house.—"It is not," argued General Griffin, "as if you were bringing a member of the Warren household into personal danger. You are the man to risk death."

"Yes, sir—I can't go."

"Great guns, man!" ejaculated General Harding. "Can't you see that we are depending on you? It's of the greatest importance."

"That's true, but——"

"By God!" exploded General Griffin, "I did not think I had a man capable of. Why, do you want to see us all licked? If that supply train gets through they'll get food, medicine, new strength, and probably come over and wipe us out. What then? What have you to say about that?"

"I know what it means, sir, well enough. If I were certain," said Burton, gravely, "that I'd be shot, I would go. That is just how I feel. I know what it means to all our boys. If I were only sure——"

"Give me your hand, said Griffin. He possessed himself of the young fellow's hand, but there was no return to the pressure he placed upon it. Burton half turned away.

"It's a dirty trick," he said.

"Surely, Ned," said General Griffin, "I wouldn't ask you of all others to do this, if there was another man—another way. I'll have to face your mother—my sister, boy—when I get back. But you will help us out like a good soldier. By going you can end this campaign and avoid the needless death of thousands."

"I'll go; I'll go," said Burton.

"Here, Ned, you must shake hands with me now. This is good-bye if—If you don't come back."

Generals Harding and Carr came up to shake his hand.

"Get there about sundown, Ned," said Blake. "I must get back to the rebel lines."

"All right," said Burton, and Blake, saluting the generals, hurried west to the brook and away toward Lee's second brigade—toward the camp of starvation, where hope had begun to stir through whispered rumors of a supply train.

The three generals gave themselves up to the plans for the night, as events should be brought about by the capture of Burton at General Warren's house. Burton sat on a mossy stone.

Agatha Warren, under escort of a corporal, came upon the scene.

"Lieutenant," said the corporal, and Burton looked up. He arose hurriedly.

"They wouldn't let me pass through the lines," Agatha explained. "It was the sandwiches, and while we were arguing dad got me up, and his pass was only for himself and two bearers. Will you kindly oblige me with a pass into our own grounds?"

"General," said Burton, "this is Miss Warren. She wants a pass through the lines that she may accompany her father."

"Of course," said old Griffin. "We couldn't think of detaining you, miss," he laughed. "A young lady's place is at home."

Burton placed the powerful slip of paper in her hands. She looked up at him shyly.

"Dad has been scolding me, and I'm to say I'm sorrry for what I said. I apologize."

"Oh," Burton hastened to say, "it was quite right and natural for you to feel as you did."

"I reckon you're angry!"

"No, I'm not, really."

Burton, with his mind on the sort of duty he had to perform that night, could not meet the girl's eyes.

"I'm not so sure," she said noticing his distant demeanor, "but dad said to ask you to come to-night."

A swift, congratulatory glance passed between the three generals, to whom the conversation was perfectly audible.

"I ask you," went on the girl, "for the Federal question, and dad suggested, I reckon I'll have to pick you the prettiest flowers in the old rose garden to make up."

She was smiling at him now, her youthful beauty at its full.

"You see a girl doesn't know just how to act in these strange times. May I expect you this evening? Can you get away?"

A positive agony of shame possessed Burton. He stood like an embarrassed lout. She looked at him a little curiously.

"Oh," she said, "I understand. I'll ask them myself for permission for you."

And promptly she was over to the grizzled leaders.

"Would you gentlemen allow Lieutenant Burton to make a social call at our house to-night, please?"

"Certainly," said General Griffin.

"Of course," said General Harding.

"With pleasure," said General Carr.

"Thank you," said the girl, "that certainly is nice of you all."

CHAPTER VII.

At Headquarters

IT was in the dining room and general living rooms of the aristocratic Warren family, due to become the scene of stirring events in the romance of love and war in which the members of the fine old Virginia family were to be concerned, that the night when Burton was to meet his Southern sweetheart began in homely peacefulness.

Little Betty Warren sat at the big mahogany table in the center of the room writing laboriously with her father's big pen. Little Bob Warren, kneeling on a chair, had sprawled his arms over the table and was watching her intently.

In a low, mahogany rocker sat their spinster aunt, Miss Molly Hatton, in her ringlets nodding as she turned her head now and then to give studious eyes to her sewing.

In came wide and waddling Sapho. She had a surprise that made the children's eyes dance. She made them guess what. It was. It wasn't cornbread or ambrake or syllabub—but it was fried hominy and to be served with syrup.

"I traded de hominy off wif ole Miss Jordan, I mogen fo' one of dem fish that Marse Bob done catch,' announced Sapho, 'an' dis yer hominy is as fine an' crisp it's des sukin' to be eat dis very minute," she concluded.

The children had no sooner sat down to their promised feast when Sapho was called to the front door and returned, saying:

"Dere's a soldier at de do' askin' fo' to see Marse Warren."

Agatha was on her feet instantly.

"A soldier? Oh! It's Lieutenant Burton!"

But it wasn't. It was a man in gray—Tom Dabney, his face gaunt, his brow bound in a blood-stained bandage, his limbs wavering, his uniform in shreds.

There was a warm welcome, during which Dabney said:

"I reckon you'll have to excuse my appearance."

"You po' boy," said Mrs. Warren. "Why I didn't know you. Won't you sit down?" Stiffly the man seated himself. He sighed gratefully.

"I haven't sat in a chair for months. I've almost forgotten how a home looks, too. I got through the lines by a fifteen-mile walk. I have a message for General Warren."

Mrs. Warren went away to inform the General. Tom gasped with sudden dizziness.

"I ask yo' pardon," he said to Miss Agatha.

"O, Tom, hadn't you better go home?" "Lawdy, now," the soldier laughed, "if you think I'm weak you ought to see some of the other fellers—the ones that can't go home."

Mrs. Warren returned with word that Dabney commander would see him immediately.

And afterward, Tom, we'll have a room prepared and you must rest," said Mrs. Warren.

"Thank you, Mistress Warren. It's an awful temptation; but I—I'm on duty... I'll see the General. Then I must be off..."

Mrs. Warren led him to the commander. "Children," said Agatha, "Tom Dabney's hungry."

Betty got up immediately and went to the sideboard. She returned with a plate. These children had seen hunger in the last year—had sometimes suffered it themselves.

"Half is enough, kiddies," said Agatha, as they began to pile their fried hominy on a platter for Tom Dabney.

"Huh," said Bob, "maybe you didn't notice how shaky he was."

"Besides," said little Betty, 'this is the first thing we have been able to give up, and we don't want to do it by halves."

And so when Tom Dabney returned from delivering his message to General Warren he quite unknowingly made a repast of the children's supper. Tears were in the eyes of Agatha and her little brother and sister, for even the eyes of the children could read that what they saw was a starving man eating.

Mrs. Warren re-entered the room hastily. "Agatha," she said, "yo' father has asked me to tell you that there is a flank movement on foot and that our men will be along here right, making their headquarters here."

"Headquarters!" cried the children excitedly.

Agatha stared at her mother.

"But Lieutenant Burton—if he comes here to-night he will be captured. And, mother, I have asked him to come here, and father has asked him to come here!"

CHAPTER VIII.

At the Warren House

MRS. WARREN received her mother with this declaration—that if Lieutenant Burton came as guest he would surely be captured—that he must not come.

"Of course, dear, your father thought of that when he asked you to tell me. He says to send word to Lieutenant Burton to warn him not to come as he had planned to-night. He'd be sure to be captured."

"Yes—yes," said the girl. "I'll send Sapho's Jim to warn him not to come. Oh—I hope he has not started."

The girl ran hurriedly from the room.

"I tell you Bob," said Tom Dabney, looking up from his emptied plate, "this is a heap better than tree bods and dried corn."

"Do you eat those things?" demanded the boy.

"I thought," commented little Miss Betty, "that war was just shootin'. I didn't know it had so much to do with eatin'."

"Well," smiled Tom, "it has mighty little to do with eating lately, and that's a fact."

Mrs. Warren laid a motherly hand on the soldier's shoulder.

"We must hope for better times, Tom."

"Why, yes'm," answered the ragged campaigner, "that's the hope we are living in just now. You see, Uncle Robert Lee expects a supply train from Lynchburg. It ought to come to-night. We all need it. Why, some of our men are fighting with sticks and clubs because they are not strong enough to carry a musket."

"And I'm from a tree-bore," said Master Bob, tragically, "doh nothin'—ceptin' catchin' fish."

"The supply train," said Tom, "is really about our last chance. It is guarded by every man that can be spared. Now I must be off. Thank you."

Agatha returned in time to wish with the others that Tom's good luck and the good luck of all his comrades in arms. And Bob handed him the letter he and Betty had written to their brother Arthur in the army.

"When you see my boy, Tom," said Mrs. Warren, "tell him his mother's arms are waiting for him, and give him this."

She kissed the soldier on the brow.

"And when you see my mother, Mrs. Warren, give her that."

The lanky soldier lost and kissed the little woman's forehead shyly.

An hour later when the children were tucked in their beds, Mrs. Warren came into the big room where Agatha sitting staring, her rounded chin resting on her upturned palms.

"I am sorry your caller is not coming, dear," said her mother. "I asked your father if he couldn't get it some way for him. He said he would send a warn him quick not to come—there was no way."

"He never does, mother, mother dear," Agatha saw her mother's sympathetic, yet half quizzical smile. "You mustn't think, mother," she said, hastily, "'cause I'm sorry, that—well, you see, mother, I isn't of quarrelsome disposition."

"Daughter, I always want you to tell your mother what you think, then I'll always know."

"And do I hide anything from you now, mother?"

"My dear child," smiled Mrs. Warren, "you know best. Perhaps, my dear daughter, you are at the point where I know what you think better than you do."

Agatha pushed back her thick golden hair. The laugh she uttered was soft and low.

"Huh! You know what an independent piece I am. When lore comes knocking at my door I just let him knock and knock and knock, till he's naturally worn out."

The girl got up and put her strong young arms about her slender mother.

"But just now, mother, beaux are mighty scarce, aren't they?"

They both laughed. Then Mrs. Warren said, gently:

"You, Aggie, yo' just wait. You'll find yo' fo'self one day—about love. I must go look after your father now. When you have been a wife and mother for twenty-four years, then—you'll know more about love, Aggie dear."

"Oh, Aggie," murmured the girl to herself, "I'm afraid you are too able selfish. You ought to be glad for the success of your brother, and instead—here you are."

She turned to look for her workbox, but remembering that she had left it in an upper chamber of the house, she left the room.

A quiet rapping sounded on the low shaded window. It was repeated, but there being no reply, the swinging windows were softly opened and the draperies thrown back.

Lieutenant Ned Burton entered the Warren house.

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	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	83	61	.576
Chicago	80	64	.556
Detroit	79	65	.549
Boston	77	67	.535
Philadelphia	65	75	.464
Washington	57	85	.401
New York	47	95	.331

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

St. Louis, 8; Boston, 0.
Washington, 2; Cleveland, 1.
New York, 10; Chicago, 0.
Detroit, 4; Philadelphia, 4 (ten innings; darkness).

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at St. Louis.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
New York at Chicago.

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New York	88	58	.603
Chicago	91	64	.587
Pittsburg	80	64	.556
Philadelphia	79	74	.516
Cincinnati	64	79	.448
Boston	60	82	.423
Brooklyn	58	85	.406
St. Louis	47	96	.331

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

New York, 3; Chicago, 4.
Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 0.
Philadelphia, 8; Cincinnati, 0.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Pittsburg at Boston (2 games).
Chicago at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Cleveland's lead in that heart-rending American League was somewhat weakened when the Naps were forced to take a defeat at the hands of its old hoodoos, the Senators. But there is still margin enough over the White Sox, who also went the same way, to keep them out of danger for a short while.

The St. Louis Browns was the only other team to claim a victory over the Eastern crowd, beating the Red Sox, the team which has won a big batch of games from them. It was Waddell who turned the trick, and if it is possible for any other pitcher the Browns have will be able to duplicate.

The Detroit Tigers saved their skin by getting a draw game with Philadelphia, and by the White Sox getting trounced were able to get closer to the Windy City lads.

The Browns also closed up, and are now ready to jump ahead of the Tigers if they fail to get back at the Athletics to-day.

The New York Giants got a little better grip on the National League pennant by beating the Cubs, and the Pirates were able to draw up even with the Cubs by beating the Superbas, which makes it interesting for the ownership of second place.

The Pirates have made a fine record since September 1, winning nineteen games and losing seven, the Giants have won nineteen and lost five, while the Cubs have won eighteen and lost seven and tied one.

TWO $25,000 HANDICAPS PLANNED AT READVILLE

BY ED. COGSWELL.

Secretary C. M. Jewett of the New England Breeders' Association figures that there will be several changes at the Readville track by another season, provided the stockholders at the special meeting next Tuesday afternoon, at Young's Hotel, vote to go along with the race property in place of having it pass under the auctioneer's hammer to settle its debts.

Already some of the stockholders counting that the property can be made to pay if were a big fair to be held the third week in August in combination with the Grand Circuit, and these men intend making a strong fight in having the New England Breeders' Association kept intact until at least the fair project will have been given a thorough trial.

Plenty of Room for a Fair.

Secretary Jewett says that there is plenty of room for the fair at Readville without thinking of going outside for more land. It is his idea that all of the stables be removed to the centre field, leaving all of that space from the gates to the railroad fence for the exhibition buildings, trains, cows, and for spectators to roam about in outside of the room used for the grandstand. This would be erected in the same spot as was the one destroyed by fire.

The stables in the centre field would be placed in the depressed ground from near the quarter pole along inside of the backstretch of the race track. The track at this point was filled some thirty feet to make it level with the rest of the course, and by placing the stables entirely in the grandstand only the peaks of the roofs could be seen from the quarterstretch.

Then, too, would be built two tunnels under the track, so that trainers would use them in reaching their stables, and during the fair one would be for teams, automobiles, etc., while the other would be exclusively for the use of spectators walking to the into the centre field to watch the racing from there above, and other attractions.

Two $25,000 Handicaps.

Regarding another $50,000 American Trotting Derby, Secretary Jewett says that if the fair scheme goes through two $25,000 handicap races will be given in place of the $50,000 event, and one will be for trotters and the other for pacers. Then, too, the rate of speed will be back to a 2:12 gait instead of at 2:08, as was the Derby.

No conditions will be permitted of allowing fifty feet for each relative second of speed. This will be cut out, and whatever distance a horse is given over another will be the same in the hands of the official handicappers, thus leaving up to them the assessment of what one starter may be superior to any of the others.

It is likely, also, that instead of these handicaps being of a mile and one-quarter, as was the Derby, the distance will be one and one-half miles, the horses starting over at the half-mile pole and finishing at the wire.

However, all of this will be thoroughly threshed out at the stockholders' meeting next Tuesday, when the future of the Readville track will be decided.

PACKY HURTS HIS FOOT; CALLS CROSS BOUT OFF

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Young Otto, the hardest hitter in the lightweight ranks, is out with a statement that is as plain as it is bold. Otto has tried to get all the local stars to consider his claim to recognition, but none of them will have any of his game. Last night Otto, through his manager, made the following offer: "Otto will fight Leach Cross and will give him the entire purse if Cross stays the six rounds. Otto will bet $1,000 to $500 that he will lay a knockout. Johnny White has consented to stage the bout if Cross will agree to fight Otto a return match, the same agreement be applied to Tommy Murphy, Joe Warren, Jack Goodman, Packy McFarland, Willie Fitzgerald or Johnny Marto. Step up, boys. This bid is a tough one, but if you think you can stick six with him you ought to be pretty right.

The Packy McFarland match with Leach Cross is off, and the Fairmont Club is scurrying, for a bout to fill its bill for October 2. A brief telegram from Packy states that he turned his ankle in Garfield Park, Chicago, in the fifth bout and it will be impossible for the stock yards champion to fulfil his engagement with the East Sider. Billy Gibson, the manager of the Fairmont, got Cross on the phone and asked him if he would fight Willie Fitzgerald a return match, to take the place of the McFarland go. Cross stated that he would meet Fitz again, if Fitz was willing. Jimmy Kelly, for Fitz, said last night that the Brooklyn boy was in Philadelphia, but that Fitz wanted a better chance at the title than Cross has had, that he can't make the same weight and be right. Cross was seen in New York and agreed to have Fitz come in at 135 at 3 o'clock or 133 at 5 o'clock. Jimmy Kelly said: Fitz would hardly agree to, as he has been in training for a longer time. Late last night Kelly said Fitz would fight Cross at any terms, as it's on.

KETCHEL'S CONQUEROR MAKES A TITLE RECORD

PAPKE FIRST GERMAN CHAMP

BY TAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Billy Papke of Kewanne, Ill., is the first German champion who ever held a boxing title in the United States. There have been a great many German-champions, but none ever got high enough to cop the laurel wreath except Papke.

Many colored men and Irish lads held down the bit job for years and there were a few Hebrews, but as for a real old fight champion the Germans ran shy. They might have copped in boxing alleys, but gerrcess and turnverein, but in the ring they were absent. The theory claimed that they were not there with the heart when the ding went against them.

This fellow Papke looks as though he's there with everything that an Irishman ever possessed.

From the days of John L. Sullivan up to the present time the champion who boxed his title as follows:

Heavyweights—Sullivan, Corbett, Irish; Fitzsimmons, Cornishman; Jeffries, American; Burns, Johnson, Americans.

Middleweights—Hart, Corbett, Irish; Fitzsimmons, Cornishman; Ryan, Irish-Englishman; Sharkey, Irish; Fogle, German.

Welterweights—Matty Matthews, Welch; Rube Ferns, American; Jack Wolcott, Negro; Honey Mellody and Mike Sullivan, Irish.

Lightweights—Jack McAuliffe, Irish; Levigne, French-American; Erne, Swiss; Gans, Afro-American; Nelson, Dane.

Featherweights—Jack McCarty, Irish; Dixon, negro; McGovern, Irish; Young Corbett, American; Abell, Negro.

Bantamweight—Terry McGovern, Denny Dougherty, Harry Forbes and Frankie Neil, Irish; Joe Bowker and Owen Moran, English.

Tom Jones, manager of Billy Papke, sends this in regard to his affair with the Los Angeles Club:

Kewanee, Ill., Sept. 18, 1908.

Just a few words to explain to you the exact situation in regard to the Papke-Kelly fight in Los Angeles. There are some of the papers that have the wrong impression of the matter.

It is true I agreed to box Kelly for the Jeffries end of $5,000 guarantee, and I have done my part in putting up my end when Kelly failed to do the contest. And after the Papke-Ketchel bout, I thought we was as fair to put Papke and Kelly for the inducements offered by the club. I was willing to accept $2,500 guarantee, and I think that reasonable consideration for a contest of that kind, but Kelly would not accept less than $3,000 and I thought we was entitled to the $3,000 Kelly's backers would not put up, so I agreed to Kelly's terms, and after the fight was finished back "Why, Willie, how you have grown."

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MURPHY IS OUT TO WIN DECISIVELY

When the pride of Harlem, Tommy Murphy, faces Matty Baldwin, the pet of Charlestown, in their bout at the Armory A. A. next Thursday night there will be facing each other two of the top lightweights in America.

There is not a pair of ringsters so eager to capture the other's scalp as the winner will be in line to meet the very best in the ring anywhere in the land.

The match that these lads boxed at Chelsea December 12, 1906, was one of the most exciting exhibitions in the boxing ever witnessed in New England.

The decision on that occasion went to the latter, Baldwin getting over a shade the fine went away satisfied that Murphy had been given the worst of it.

Since that time both men have come along very fast in the boxing profession and have earned national reputations by the excellence of their ring work.

There has always remained the idea in Murphy's mind that he was given a bum decision on that occasion, and he intends to prove it next Tuesday night by winning by a wide enough margin so that there will be no question of his superiority.

Still, Baldwin only smiles when told of his opponent's claims and says that he is sure that Murphy can do better at present than he did the last time.

A six-round semi-final bout has been arranged between Willie Gruppo of St. Louis and Kid Graves of Boston, a pair of welterweights who are sure to put up a hot battle from start to finish.

OUTCAST MAKING GOOD.

Hal Direct, an erstwhile candidate for Grand Circuit honors, won a race recently at Collinsville, Ct., and gained a record of 2:13¾. He showed 2:06¾ two seasons ago, and was purchased by J. A. Crabtree for $6,000, but went wrong last season and was sold again.

FAST MARE IN HAREM.

Persecutte, 2:06¾, the Effie Powers of the Middle West, was bred this year to Hedgewood Boy, 2:03¼. She had a colt last Spring by Dan Onward.

BILL M'KINNON TO BOX STAR OF THE NAVY

Whenever Bill McKinnon, the Roxbury lad, enters the ring at the Armory A. A. he gives the fans a run, and the fact that he is to act in the show Tuesday night means that there will be no let up. Y. S. Chester, stationed at Chester, will make the preceding bouts to the Baldwin-Murphy attraction all the more spicy.

Tommy Murphy is one of the classiest, cleverest foils that ever put on a glove, and he has become a prime favorite in this city by his wonderful ability, his clever style of boxing and his gentlemanly ways.

Baldwin was on his participation as his powerful body punching and his abnormal physical strength.

The lads are to weigh 133 pounds, and this means that they are true lightweights.

The match rivalry exists between this pair that they are sure to be fought like a pair of tigers across during the entire contest, which gives promise of being the best boxing and wrestling event ever decided under the auspices of the Armory A. A. The semi-final will be between Kid Mercier of Lawrences faces Willie Grupo of St. Louis, a welter bout. Joe Fay will serve as sparring partner to Tommy Murphy.

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ELEVEN RACES SCHEDULED ON MYSTIC TRACK

Following is the list of classes and entries for the weekly matinee of the Fellsway Driving Club over the Mystic Park course to-morrow afternoon:

CLASS A, TROT—Baron B., bk. s., E. C. Smith; Christine, b. g., Frank Sweeney; Ned Barnes, b. m., E. F. Collins.

CLASS B, TROT—Will Sidney, b. h., H. B. Kingman; Doctor, b. g., C. E. Twombly.

CLASS C, PACE—King's Heir, ch. g., C. Tootaker; Miss Chilo, m., G. A. Lee.

CLASS D, PACE AND TROT—Journeyman, b. g., W. W. Croft; Bonnie Bell, ch. m., D. H. Prentice.

CLASS E, PACE—Mollie C, b. m., J. Palmer; Diamond H, Frank Bird; Sir Lee, b. g., A. E. Jones; Joe B., bk. g., O. G. Keene.

CLASS F, PACE—Sidney McGregor, b. g., C. Rawson; Lady Pointer, b. m., Thomas Welch; Robinhood, ch. g., J. Hennessey.

CLASS G, TROT—Will Kem, ch. g., O. N. Cotta; Independence, ch. g., F. Brown; Amy, b. m., E. Twombly.

CLASS H, TROT AND PACE—Bernice Rolfe, bk. m., Thomas Smith; Dr. Gray, b. g., A. Hayes; Bonnie Bell, ch. m., D. H. Prentice.

CLASS I, PACE AND TROT—Mary P., br. m., D. J. Neligan; Lady Ormond, b. m., F. Chesley; Dr. Band, g. g., W. Miller.

CLASS J, PACE—Lady Hamilton, br. m., W. ch. g., H. W. Smith; Jeanette, ro. m., J. Bryant.

CLASS K, TROT—Rose Martin, b. g., Knapp Forbes; Sir George, b. g., F. L. Thomas.

GOOD RACE EXPECTED.

A very interesting game is looked for when the Williams and Walker baseball team and the Tennis and Racket Club employes cross bats at the American League grounds to-day at 3:30. The lineup for the Tennis and Racket Club will be: F. Glockler, 1b.; T. Pettitt, 2b.; F. Keene, 3b.; Wm. Ganley, s.s.; W. Cotter, l.f.; M. McAuliffe, c.f.; W. McAuliff, r.f. The battery has not yet been decided.

NORFOLKS WANT GAME.

The Norfolk A. C. of Cambridge would like to hear from any 110-115-pound team in State for Saturday. Harry Clorn, 253 Elm street, Cambridge.

NINE CARS HAVE CLEAN SCORES IN ENDURANCE RUN

By J. C. KERRISON.

It is reasonably safe to assume that also out of the twenty-one starters in the twenty-four-hour endurance contest of the Long Island Automobile Association went through the cruelest test with clean scores. At least that number of competitors claimed that they had negotiated the 386 miles of roadways between Boston and Brenton Woods and return in the running time of 22 hours 15 minutes, without making a single adjustment, or replenishing engines. These nine are as follows:

Touring car, Thomas Motor Company; Franklin, Franklin Motor Company; Stoddard-Dayton, Stoddard-Dayton Motor Company; Oldsmobile, Algonquin Motor Company; Buick, Buick Motor Company; Autocar, Harry Fosdick, Shawmut, Shawmut Motor Company; Ideal, Thomas H. Frait; Buick, Buick Motor Co.

These nine are the cars that made the score of perfection, although the committee has had opportunity to delve into the many of details and records to determine the same, as it will not be ready to announce the official results relative to the run, some of the checkers and other officials being out on the course.

This committee will, however, not be long in getting together to check the record and determine the many questions that may possibly arise in relation to the run, the conditions of which will, so far as the nine cars that made the perfect score is concerned, be closed last evening, and while by the way it required a deal of the most severe tests ever given motor vehicles in this country. It was even barring the famous A. A. A. tours.

Cars Locked Up.

The five cars enumerated above are now under lock and key in the White garage, the key being in possession of the committee, that no one can gain access to the same without authority.

While recognizing the merits of the cars the performances of the drivers are also worthy of the highest commendation. Among the operators securing clean scores are Harry Fosdick, driving, Shawmut, the operator of the air-cooled Franklin. All operators of the cars are unanimous in their praise about class Mascots. Fosdick and Pratt had most distinction, the latter taking the advantage of the rule that permitted a change of drivers at any time during the run.

The Marmon, Algonquin and the Oldsmobile were driven by their owners most of the tour and the seals are to-day intact. Fosdick went his competitors one better by running his engine the entire 23 hours 45 minutes of the time between their departure and arrival in Boston, but, it being believed, being the only car that performed that particular feat.

At midnight last night there were still two cars officially unaccounted for, they being the two Overlands, one driven by Mrs. Stearns, which was having trouble in Cambridge, and the other the Westcroft car, both of which had previously lost points.

Mrs. Stearns, who drove a plucky ride throughout, was unfortunate at the very start, being penalized in the very first checking station for lack of gasoline as the strokers feed pipe. Canterbury, in the Stearns-Knight car, went up against a peculiar proposition. He got sixty miles away and was without gasoline. He had lost so much time in replenishing his tank that he decided to withdraw from the test. But the Stevens-Duryea was well represented in one of the official cars that went the full course and finished to all requirements and performed so that if it had been entered in the contest it would have undoubtedly secured cars.

Both cars have particularly distinguishing to Harry Ralph to drive his Pierce all day long and, barring a slight penalization on the second last control through gravity feed soaking too little gas to his carburetor while climbing a steep grade. He has driven this car something like 10,000 miles and carried five passengers throughout the trip, without any other trouble.

Waitt and his Buick came to grief on the first control and was wiped out of the clean score class, and then received additional penalization on the last control. Bill Hilliard and his Lancia fell from grace early in the day, although clinging of his colors to the end. He was penalized fifty-six minutes and forty-five seconds and then gained a full sixteen on his run to the control. The big Lancia has had extraordinary luck in Providence, Plymouth, when it was thought that the gasoline tanks had a tempting to get out of the way ran into a ditch, which caused the withdrawal.

Corbin's Narrow Escape.

The Chalmers-Detroit was unfortunate enough to strip the thread of its universal joint. The Cadillac came in towards midnight with an acknowledged penalization for no adjustment in a tappet rod. The Rambler secured, perhaps, the least penalization of all, being penalized only one point for adjustment. The Corbin had a slight crankcase escape, dividing into a drip as a result of too much speed. An adjustment was made, but it was all that was necessary, and the car finished well at all points.

The Moral Tourist, although not an entrant in the run, was in evidence as one of the committee cars, being all over the course, keeping an eye on everything. George Ingham drove the car and Joseph Tracy, with exceptional judgment and ability.

Ingham, in the confetti car, came to grief early in the run, having magneto trouble to start and being forced to surrender the confetti to the first committee car.

As usual, Fred Pratt did wonders with his little Reo, the lightest horse-powered and lowest priced car in the run. He never missed a control and never made an adjustment, the little Reo rolling along as fast as the best and being on the go all the time. Pratt and the Reo were inseparable. He was at the wheel all the time, and great credit is due both driver and car for its most excellent showing.

SAM HARRIS SAYS GIANTS WON GAME

Boston, Sept. 25.

Sporting Editor, Boston American:

In reference to the baseball row in New York I am strange always to root claim the game, as it is one that they did not win. There was no chance of putting Wicker out, and Bridwell made a clean safe hit. The game is so humanly open for this season that nothing should be done to take away from the brilliancy of the diamond into question. The Cubs did not win, and therefore should not try to take something that does not belong to them. The public is for fair play. Though the Cubs may dispute the game technically, it is the public opinion that New York won the game fairly and squarely.

I know Frank Chance can regard him as one of the finest sportsmen in the nation, but I believe that when he thinks it over he will yield the point. However, I admire his pluck in fighting as he did for his club.

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MILWAUKEE, Sept. 25.—Johnny Coulon and Young Edwards in the fourth round, in a fierce mix-up, were knocked out by Referee Dineen. In the third Coulon tripped Edwards three times, and the referee in the fourth Coulon sent his man down twice, the last time for the count.

TAD JONES TO COACH.

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Walk Down Stairs for Your Knees' Sake

It Is One Way to Keep Your Knees Young and Keep Rheumatism Out of Them

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The elevator had stopped, and several men on the seventh floor stood doubting and hesitating, like young robins on a limb, wondering how to get down.

One, wise and old, said to the others:

"Why don't you walk down? It is a good thing for you—keeps your knees young. I walk down every now and then, anyhow."

Then he did walk down. All the others waited except one eager to learn. He followed behind the walker-down, and listened to this explanation:

"I had rheumatism in my left knee," said the wise walker, walking down quickly. "My doctor gave me a piece of advice that was worth a million dollars. He said, 'You sit down all day; you sit down in the elevator and in the street car and at home. The joints of your knees were made to work. They were arranged to move back and forth a good many thousand times in a day. You haven't time to walk much along the streets. WHY DON'T YOU WALK DOWN STAIRS?

"Then he explained to me that it wasn't a good idea to walk UP STAIRS, as that puts too much of a strain upon the heart, when a man isn't used to it. But walking down stairs is no strain at all. Your own weight carries you down—it is easy and pleasant. If you walk down a hundred steps every day, as you ought to do, that gives each of your knees a hundred good bendings. You ought to write something about this in the paper. Tell the people that are always sitting down and not getting enough exercise that they can keep their knees young anyhow by walking down stairs every once in a while."

We do as requested, and to-day you have the article in the paper. We believe that there is something in the wise advice. Our troubles locate in the parts of us that are insufficiently used. The knee joints and the other joints NEED to be exercised.

If you walk down seven, or ten, or even fifteen flights of stairs each day it might be a pretty good thing for you. At any rate, you might try it. Make it a point as you walk down to step on your heel on each step, keep your shoulders straight—that is good exercise—and take good, deep breaths. There is generally fairly fresh air in the stairways of the big office buildings.

The average man has so little chance of getting regular exercise in our modern life that it is good to plan for it in these odd and unusual ways.

You can keep your knees exercised by walking down stairs, and in the rush hours you can keep your shoulders and your elbows exercised by hanging on a strap. You keep your lungs exercised also by throwing back your shoulders, straightening up your neck, pointing up your chin toward the sky and breathing deeply whenever you think of it.

In that way you will keep your health and live long, to be taxed by the trusts and the others that get your money.

Interesting Confession from William J. Bryan

He Helped Roosevelt to Do NOTHING

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A lifeless campaign was brought to life rather suddenly by a few speeches and facts supplied by W. R. Hearst. The facts and letters relating to the honorable Republican Senator Foraker brought President Roosevelt to the front in an emphatic letter which kicked Mr. Foraker out of the Republican party and four miles over into the Standard Oil camp.

Mr. Roosevelt, who is an able-bodied politician, waved off Foraker with one hand, and in the other hand, which trembled with righteous indignation, he held aloft Hearst's expose of Haskell and said to Bryan, "Why don't you kick Haskell out? You don't dare."

Immediately Mr. Bryan woke up from the happy trance in which he had been praising Roosevelt and calling himself Roosevelt's heir. He sent a very expensive telegram to Roosevelt—expensive and amusing, too.

Mr. Bryan has told Roosevelt emphatically that Roosevelt has done absolutely nothing, has not helped the people, has not tried to do anything. Now in his telegram he says to Roosevelt, "I have assisted you to the extent of my ability in remedial measures," etc.

In other words, Roosevelt has done nothing, and Bryan has HELPED him to do it.

It really isn't a bad description of the actual situation. The comic thing and the bad thing is that the people are asked to take their choice as President between the nominee of Roosevelt, who has done nothing, and Bryan, who has helped him to do it.

Of course, Bryan's telegram was disingenuous. Nobody knew better than Bryan what kind of man Haskell is. He picked Haskell out for treasurer of the Democratic campaign fund because he knew Haskell had been doing favors for the men with money, and he felt sure Haskell could GET some of the money for the campaign, AND HASKELL HAS ALREADY GOT SOME OF IT.

Bryan, to save himself, will be compelled eventually to kick Haskell out of the party—that is to say, IF HE DARES TO DO IT. Of course, it is possible that Haskell has in his possession facts that would make it dangerous to make a scapegoat of him.

Oscar Straus, in a public statement, tells Bryan where he can find in court records proof of the fact that Haskell worked for the Standard Oil, and as Governor of Oklahoma actually ordered the Oklahoma Attorney-General to stop the prosecution of Standard Oil.

Mr. Bryan knows that while Haskell was representing him at the Democratic Convention, preparing a platform and getting ready to collect money from sources familiar to him, HE WAS ALSO ACTING AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE STANDARD OIL, AND BY TELEGRAPH FORBIDDING THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL OF OKLAHOMA TO PROSECUTE THE DISHONEST TRUST MASQUERADING OUT THERE UNDER THE NAME OF THE PRAIRIE OIL AND GAS COMPANY.

Mr. Bryan doesn't deny, because he can't deny, that his intimate friend and cash collector, Haskell, acting as Governor of Oklahoma, peremptorily ordered the Attorney-General to discontinue righteous prosecution of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company.

Oscar Straus, in his useful letter, which Mr. Bryan cannot well ignore, shows that, according to sworn court records, the Prairie Oil

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"SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE"

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Interesting Confession from William J. Bryan

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and Gas Company has a capital stock of ten millions. Of this ten millions, $9,999,500 belongs to the National Transit Company. The National Transit Company has a capital stock of $25,455,200, of which the Standard Oil Company owns, according to its own showing, $25,451,650.

In other words, the Prairie Oil and Gas Company is the pet of Haskell, who is the pet of Bryan. Of its ten millions of stock, all but $500—allotted to some dummy directors, probably—belongs to the National Transit Company. And of the National Transit Company's twenty-five millions and odd of stock, all but $3,550 belongs to the STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

Readers, note our prediction that Mr. Haskell, who was selected as a crooked and dishonest man to collect cash for the campaign of an insincere candidate—Bryan—will be dropped by the Democratic party and by that insincere candidate. But Bryan, lacking the promptness of Roosevelt, will wait too long. And that is a fortunate thing for the people, for apparently they don't know thoroughly the man for whom Mr. Haskell, of Prairie Oil-National Transit-Standard Oil, has been collecting funds and writing platforms.

W. R. Hearst told the people of this country the situation in these few words:

Mr. Bryan appointed Mr. C N. Haskell, political paymaster of the Standard Oil, to be chairman of his Committee on Platform.

"After a platform had been drawn up by Mr. Haskell which was satisfactory to the Standard Oil, Mr. Bryan made Mr. Haskell treasurer of his national campaign fund, to collect from the Standard Oil substantial evidence of the great monopoly's appreciation."

An Up-to-Date Nature Fake

By Wex Jones

Plants have memory, habits, moods, etc.—*Sir Oliver Lodge.*

The Shattered Tomato

Hi, it is fine to be alive!

I am a beautiful young tomato, and I live on a vine that is the envy of all the neighbors. I don't believe there is a tomato in all Jersey more happily situated than I.

My soul thrills with ambition. I don't know what I shall be when I grow up. My cousin is a poet. He sings to himself all day long:

If you can't be a great tomato
Sprout along this plan—
It's trying that counts, my hearty;
Be as great a tomato as you can.

"Be a tomato in a can," said the old fellow at the end of the vine. Cynical old tomato!

But it really is awful to think of the cannery. To lose all one's identity in a can of amorphous tomato is awful; only soup could be worse. I hope to end up a beautiful pink quartered tomato; a sight for artist or epicure.

* * * Phwkwl! Torn away from the old vine where the happy days of my youth were spent. And, oh, the awful wrench—worse than having a tooth pulled! Not that I ever did have a tooth pulled, but that's the expression.

I am in a big basket with hundreds of others.

* * * They are sorting us.

* * * I am saved!

* * * I am on the table of a small cottage. I am to be a salad. Glorious; anything to escape the oblivion of the cannery.

* * * One of the children stole me off the table to play house with. I was displayed on the sidewalk and attracted so much attention that the child threw me over the fence to keep some rude boy from grabbing me.

It is very wet and miserable here.

* * * A man has found me and put me in his pocket.

We seem to be in a crowd. Some one is speaking loudly. I hear the words "tariff," "Governmenr guarantee of deposits," and other strange phrases.

* * * The man has taken me out of his pocket.

We are five rows from the platform.

* * * Oooh—I am flying through the air—ouch! I have hit the speaker in the eye. My overcast has split. * * *

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GRAFT TO THE MONK GOES VISITING

HELLO, JONES,— I JUST HAPPENED TO BE IN YOUR TOWN TONIGHT AND I THOUGHT I'D DROP IN AND SEE YOU!
YOUR FACE IS FAMILIAR, BUT I CAN'T PLACE YOU!
DON'T YOU REMEMBER I MET YOU 6 YEARS AGO ON THE TRAIN FROM OSHKOSH TO KALAMAZOO?— AND YOU ASKED ME TO LOOK YOU UP SOMETIME?
I DON'T KNOW BUT WHAT YOU'RE RIGHT!
WELL, IT'S GETTING LATE,— SORRY I CAN'T PUT YOU UP FOR THE NIGHT, BUT I HAVEN'T A SPARE BED IN THE HOUSE!
THAT'S ALL RIGHT!— I DON'T MIND SLEEPING ON THE FLOOR!
BYE-BYE, OLD MAN!
IS HE A VERY OLD FRIEND OF YOURS, DEAR?
HE SAYS HE MET ME 6 YEARS AGO,— I GUESS HE DOES; I'D LIKE TO PAY HOTEL BILLS!
NEX' MORNING

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

It's Great to Have Lots of Money—Even for a Little While

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I'LL BET YOU A $100 EVEN SPIKE MCSWATT PUTS HIM OVER THE ROPES IN 10 ROUNDS.
BOSH! SPIKE HASN'T A LOOK IN. I'LL GO YOU.
HERE, HALL-ROOM, YOU HOLD THE STAKES.
SURE.
1
GEE! DON'T IT FEEL GREAT HOLDING A BIG BUNCH OF MONEY LIKE THIS. I'LL SLIP MY ONE SPOT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE WAD AND IT WON'T FEEL SO LONESOME.
YES, WE MIGHT GET A CHANCE TO FLASH IT AROUND A BIT BEFORE THEY COLLECT IT.
2
AH MISS MILLIONBUCKS - HOWDO YOU DO. LOVELY DAY MAY WE HAV THE PLEASURE OF A LITTLE STROLL WITH YOU?
3
PARDON ME A MOMENT GIRLS. I WISH TO GET A PAPER FOR THE LATEST QUOTATIONS ON OUR P.D.G. STOCK. IT JUMPED 10 POINTS THIS A.M. AND YESTERDAY WE RECEIVED $200 IN DIVIDENDS SO WE'RE IN PRETTY GOOD ALL AROUND.
THAT'S QUARTERLY OF COURSE
MY GOOD MAN I'VE NOTHING SMALLER THAN $20. CAN YOU—
AH-HEM! I'A ONE SPOT.
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HA! IS POINTS AND STILL GAINING.
GREAT! GOOD THING WE SOLD OUR N.G. STOCK. I SEE IT HAS DECLINED IS POINTS. TRADER'S CALLING IN THE SHORTS I SPOSE.
5
HELLO HALL-ROOM - GOT THAT $200 ABOUT YOU? I WON MY BET FROM MILLIONBUCKS.
OH INSTEAD OF A STOMOLDER YOU'RE A SHEMOLDER I SEE.
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